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SOUTH AMERICA AND THE WAR

The Jews of Brazil

Brazil's 75,000 Jews will aid to the full the struggle of their 45,000,000 fellow-citizens against the Axis, with which Brazil is now at war. Jews have been settled in this vast South American country for many years—it was, in fact, the first country of Jewish settlement in the Western Hemisphere—and have always found it a safe haven. The first Jews fled there to escape the Spanish Inquisition. About 40,000 of the present Jewish population are refugees from Germany.

There are about 25,000 Jews in Rio de Janeiro, the capital, which has a total population of 2,000,000. About 15,000 Jews live in Sao Paulo, about 6,000 in Porto Alegre in the South, and some 3,000 in Pernambuco. The rest are scattered all over the country. Communal life is poorly organised, although the Government's attitude is tolerant.

For some time there has been an interdict on "political" activities, and this has prevented all Zionist work. At the beginning of this year, Jewish papers were banned, together with other foreign-language newspapers.

The coming of Nazism produced anti-Jewish repercussions in Brazil, and the Government had to take action against Nazi-fed Jew-baiters. At one stage, the press was carrying heavily subsidised streams of anti-Semitic material and the Fascist "Integralist" Party, suppressed in 1938, sought everywhere to spread disruption. But the Government showed firmness against such elements.

The determination of Brazil's Jews to aid their country has already been shown in recent months. In May, the community presented the Air Force with five aeroplanes on the occasion of the national defence campaign. To-day, when they are called upon to make far greater sacrifices, they will not be found lacking.

URUGUAY JEWS "READY TO MAKE SACRIFICE"

Aid-to-Russia Contribution

Last Friday, reports the J.T.A., the Soviet Embassy in Washington received the following message together with a contribution of $2,000 collected by the Jewish Committee for Aid to Russia and other Democratic Countries, of Montevideo: "The Jewish people of Uruguay, regardless of class, with understanding and a high spirit of sacrifice, have responded to the call of the Jewish people of the Soviet Union who are defending the most sublime ideals of liberty and of human civilisation. The Jews of Uruguay, who cannot carry arms at the side of the heroic soldiers of Russia to halt the invasion of the Nazi barbarians, are ready to make stern sacrifices to send them all possible help." The signatory of the letter is M. Jaime Galperin, President of the Uruguayan Committee.

Uruguay, the smallest republic in South America, with a population of just over 2,000,000, has 50,000 Jews, some 30,000 of whom live in Montevideo, as a well-organised community. They have several fine Synagogues, schools, and other communal institutions, and even their own co-operative enterprises. Unlike Brazilian Jewry, the Uruguayan Jews have been able to carry on vigorous defence work against Nazi anti-Semites. Zionist activity is permitted. The community dates from 1910.

POGROM-INCITEMENT IN ARGENTINA

Protest Against Pro-Nazi Agitators

A memorandum asking the Government of Argentina to take stern measures against anti-Jewish demonstrations which pro-Nazi elements are staging in the capital has been submitted to the Minister of the Interior by the "People's Organisation Against Anti-Semitism."

The memorandum says that the demonstrations are becoming bolder and bolder, to a point where the demonstrators call openly for pogroms. The organisation has also issued an appeal to political parties, democratic bodies, student associations, and trade unions to help in the fight against anti-Jewish activities and to mobilise their forces to counteract the pro-Nazi elements.

It will be recalled that recently Waldo Frank, the well-known American Jewish publicist, was attacked in his flat in Buenos Aires by a gang of pro-Nazis and severely injured. The alleged assailants have been arrested.

CAMOUFLAGED U.S. FASCISTS

Disruptors' New Tactics

American Fascists, alarmed at the growing determination of the authorities to stamp out the Fifth Column, are now cloaking their sinister activity under all sorts of "harmless" covers. These hate-breeding, anti-Semitic groups spring into being like toadstools overnight, as fast as others are compelled to dissolve because of Government action. It is characteristic that high-sounding patriotic names are usually adopted to camouflage their disruptive activities.

Charles A. McLain, who formerly directed musical programmes for Fascist meetings, has now organised a group calling itself the "American Society for the Preservation of Sacred and Patriotic Music." Charlotte Young, former head of the anti-Semitic "Paul Revere Sentinels," and the Rev. Edward Brophy, an ardent disciple of Father Coughlin, are Secretary and Treasurer of the group. When it is remembered that McLain agitated against the singing of "God Bless America" because it was written by a Jew, it becomes clear what is meant by the organisation's title.

Preparing Little Führers

Joe McWilliams, the notorious New York Jew-baiter, was recently in Chicago lecturing for the "Midwest Monetary Federation," giving three classes a week to a total attendance of approximately 75 people. They came from different neighbourhoods and communities in and around Chicago, and they are being coached in the art of public speaking in the hope of preparing them to assume leadership. Joe McWilliams has also made several appearances before the Fascist anti-Semitic groups known as "We, the Mothers," and the "Patrick Henry Forum." Agnes Waters, a fanatical Washington Jew-hater, recently recommended, in a speech to "The Mothers," that President Roosevelt be assassinated.

Father Coughlin himself intends, it is reported, to open a high school for boys in September. The school will train boys for "post-war service." Spanish will be a compulsory subject as well as the history, geography, industry, and agriculture of South America.

"Research Club"

Orville Roundtree, the North-west organiser for the Silver Shirts, the Fascist organisation founded by Pelley (the notorious Jew-baiter sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment for sedition), is once more carrying on his anti-Jewish activity. He has been speaking in the neighbourhood of Portland, Oregon, to small groups who now call themselves the "Research Club."

A group calling itself "Mothers of Sons," made up of mothers with sons in the Army, is operating in Cincinnati. The founders of the group are ardent disciples of Father Coughlin, and the officials devote most of their time to criticising every move made by the Administration. Occasionally they invite Army men, not aware of their true character, to speak before them. They are working in co-operation with a group in Hamilton, Ohio, called the "U.S. Selective Parents Legion."

Historical Twist

A new organisation named the "Social Republic Society" of America has been organised in California. This Society proudly points to the fact that there has been a "Social Republic Society" during almost every critical period of history, going as far back as the days of the ancient Roman Empire. According to their so-called "history" of the Social Republic Society, this organisation was brought into being during the days of the Romans for the purpose of coping with the vicious conditions that were brought about by the emigrants from Palestine and Alexandria, who had secured complete domination of the Roman Government. They go on further to state that the Spanish branch of that society were responsible for that "great piece of work" of removing the Jews from Spain; and that the French Republic Society was responsible for the French Revolution brought about by "the corrupt Church, the King, and the Jewish financial power."

JEWESSES JOIN YUGOSLAV GUERRILLAS

The Nazi authorities in Belgrade allege that among the Yugoslav guerrilla fighters recently killed or captured in clashes with the Axis troops were a number of Jewish women wearing soldier's uniform. There were also a number of Jews who specialised in attacks on concentration camps for Jews in order to release the internees.

JEW CAPTURED NAZI TANK

Astonishing Act of Daring

An astonishing feat of cool daring by a Jewish soldier has just been revealed in Egypt in the EGYPTIAN MAIL.

According to the report this Jewish soldier, Private A. N. Goldman, belonging to a South African regiment, was among those who were captured at Tobruk. But Goldman had no intention of remaining a prisoner if the faintest chance of escape offered itself. He was lucky and seizing his opportunity he was able to elude his captors. Not content with that, he managed to take possession of a German tank in which he made off towards the British lines.

He had not gone far, however, when he encountered a German patrol. Allowing the patrol to approach within certain range he gave them the contents of the tank's weapons. One German survived this present and him he took prisoner. In due course the intrepid Goldman drove triumphantly into the British lines, with German tank and prisoner safe and sound.

POLISH SYMPATHY

Jews' Right to Their Homeland

M. Jan Stanczyk, the Polish Minister of Labour and Welfare, speaking on Sunday at a J.N.F. meeting in London, said that their common sufferings had brought Jews and Poles much closer together than ever before, and despite the ghetto walls the Poles tried to help the Jews by throwing food over or smuggling it inside. A number of Polish patriots had even destroyed part of the ghetto wall in Warsaw one night and had hoisted a Polish flag on the ruins.

The meeting at which M. Stanczyk spoke was organised by the Edgware J.N.F. Commission in connection with the Solidarity Campaign and was held in the Rose Harris Hall of the Edgware Synagogue, Mowbray Road.

Edgware Jews have pledged themselves to redeem 1,000 dunams of land in Palestine and the meeting, which was held to launch the scheme officially, was presided over by Alderman A. A. Naar, M.B.E., J.P., the Deputy Mayor of Hendon.

Poles, said M. Stanczyk, more than any other people, were able to appreciate the heroic effort and sacrifice of the Jews to establish a Jewish National Home in Palestine.

"We firmly believe," he went on, "that after the war everybody throughout the world will enjoy full rights, as a citizen of his own country. We believe in the right of peoples to self-determination, limited only by the same right of other peoples and by the common interest of the society of nations." But was the promise of this sufficient for the Jews? The history of the Jews for the last 2,000 years gave them the answer. In his opinion, definitely it was not sufficient.

To compensate the Jews for all the misery and sufferings which had been and were inflicted on them, they must be given their own homeland; they must know the joy of living in their own country.

Freewill Emigration

M. Stanczyk made it clear that the present Polish Government supported the Zionist cause unselfishly, and not because of any wish to reduce the number of Jews in Poland.

"Emigration is a right, but not an obligation. It must be free and not compulsory. Jews in Poland will enjoy equal rights with the rest of the population."

Mr. Aaron Wright, a Vice-President of the J.N.F. and Chairman of the Administrative Committee, spoke of the necessity of J.N.F. work.

NAZIS' DIEPPE JITTERS

Jews and Invasion Scare

Following the successful Allied raid on Dieppe, the Nazis in France have invented a new line in anti-Jewish incitement. Radio Paris alleged that during the raid, the Jews discarded their Star of David in order to spread false news in clubs, shops, cafés, and underground trains. The fact that the Paris population, in accordance with the appeals broadcast from London, remained calm during the operations, is cited as a "proof" that true Frenchmen no longer heed the rumours "spread by the Jews in order to provoke a revolt."

On the other hand, the Nazi PARISER ZEITUNG invented an exactly opposite story. It said that when French supporters of De Gaulle learned of the raid they donned Star of David badges and began to spread rumours that the British were approaching the capital. The object of the De Gaullists in displaying Jewish badges, said the Nazis, was to indicate to the British troops that they were their allies.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Chief Rabbi's Letter

In connection with the National Day of Prayer ordered by His Majesty on Thursday next, September 3, the Chief Rabbi has issued to Ministers and Honorary Officers of Synagogues the following circular letter, enclosing at the same time a copy of the Order of Service for the special services in Synagogues on that day:

"Three years of war have not yet brought decisive victory. The conflict has assumed cosmic dimensions, and no shore remains unwashed by its vast ocean of woe. Many peoples are being uprooted by the savage enemy, and he has pronounced sentence of death upon every Jew in Nazi-controlled lands. Soul-stirring, therefore, is the solemn call 'Come, and let us return unto the Lord: for He hath torn, and He will heal us: He hath smitten and He will bind us up' (Hosea vi, 1).

"None will give a readier and more fervent response to His Majesty's command for the National Day of Prayer and Dedication than the Jewish communities. I accordingly enclose the Order of Service for the Day of Prayer on Thursday, September 3; and suggest that the service take place at 6.30 p.m., unless some congregations find another hour to be more suitable for them.

"At a service of this nature, it is essential that each worshipper have a copy of the Order of Service. Such copies may be obtained from Messrs. Williams Lea and Co., Ltd., Clifton House, Worship Street, London, E.C.2, price 7s. 6d. per 100 (postage extra). With best wishes for a happier New Year.—(signed) J. H. Hertz, Chief Rabbi."

Two services are to be conducted by the Liberal Jewish Synagogue on Thursday next, the National Day of Prayer, one at 12.30 p.m. in the City, at the Vintner's Hall, Upper Thames Street, E.C.4, and the other at 5.30 p.m., at the Synagogue, St. John's Wood. Rabbi Dr. I. Mattuck will conduct both services.

THE DUKE OF KENT'S DEATH

Messages of condolence on behalf of the Anglo-Jewish Community have been sent by the Board of Deputies and the Anglo-Jewish Association to the Duchess of Kent, to Queen Mary, and to the King, on the deeply regretted death on Tuesday of the Duke of Kent, the King's youngest brother, in an air accident.

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BIRTHS

GOODMAN.—On August 24, 1942, to Hannah (née Kutchinsky), wife of David Goodman, a son.—9, Taylor Street, Woolwich, S.E.18.

GORDON.—On Sunday, August 16, 1942, at North Manchester Maternity Home (Beech Mount) to Irene (née Herwald), wife of Gershon Gordon, a daughter.—35, Tetlow Lane, Salford.

LEWIS.—On August 23, 1942, at Lindo Wing, St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington, to Madge (née Zissman), wife of Benn Lewis, a daughter (Jane Caroline).

MASON.—On August 20, 1942, at the Shrubberies Nursing Home, High Wycombe, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mason Kitty Jacobs), a darling son (Irvine Lester).—43, Hughenden Road, High Wycombe.

MILLMAN.—On August 19, 1942, at The Gables, Pinetree Glen, Westbourne, Bournemouth, to Ena (née Burns, of Greenwich), wife of Jack Millman, a son.—417a, Wimborne Road, Winton, Bournemouth.

BARMITZVAH

BLOCH.—Leonard, youngest son of Mrs. G. Bloch (Lolla Jung) and the late Mr. G. Bloch, ז״ל "Rosemont," Eskdale Avenue, Chesham, Bucks., will, אי״ה, read נצבים וילך and the הפטרה at the Chesham Synagogue, on September 5, 1942. Please accept this, the only intimation.

BRAVMANN.—Peter, only son of Mrs. Ilse Bravmann, of New York, and the late Mr. Stefan Bravmann, of Stuttgart, will read a portion of the Law and Haftara at "Stenecourt," Singleton Road, on Saturday, September 5, 1942. Kiddush after service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Chadwick, 102, King's Road, Prestwich, Manchester. Only intimation.

ISAACS.—Arnold, youngest son of Mr. and the late Mrs. Charles Isaacs, of 61, Spencer Place, Leeds, will read a portion of the Law at the Psalms of David Synagogue, Reginald Terrace, Leeds, on August 29, 1942.

KESSEL.—Rosslyn, only son of Dr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Kessel, of "Pembroke," Antrim Road, Hampstead, will be Barmitzvah at Belsize Park Synagogue, Eton Road, N.W.3, on Saturday, September 5, 1942. Kiddush in Synagogue after service. No festivities.

WERMAN.—Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Werman, and great-grandson of Mrs. E. Greenstein, will read the Sidra and Haftara at the Dollis Hill Synagogue, Parkside, N.W.2, on Sabbath, August 29, 1942.—6, Sonia Gardens, N.W.10.

ENGAGEMENTS

CAPLAN : ROSENBLOOM.—The engagement will be announced of Anne, only daughter of Mrs. M. Caplan and the late Mr. I. Caplan, to Jack, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenbloom, of 12, Bernard House, Toynbee Street, E.1, at the Quadrant Restaurant, Regent Street, W.1, on August 30, 1942.

GILBERT : FREEMAN.—The engagement is announced of Eric, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gilbert, 12, Church Street, Manchester, 8, to Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marks Freeman, 22, George Street, Manchester, 8. "At Home" Sunday, August 30, from 3 to 6 p.m., at 9, Parksway, Prestwich.

GORELICK : GOLDSTEIN.—The engagement is announced of Diane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Gorelick, of 41, Brooke Road, N.16, formerly of 25, Pedley Street, E.1, to Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldstein, of 10, Groombridge Road, E.9, formerly of 80, Bow Road, E.3.

MENDES DA COSTA : STOCKMAN.—The engagement is announced of Michael (L/Seaman, R.N.), youngest son of Mr. Jack and the late Mrs. Mendes Da Costa, of Kenton, to Gertie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stockman, 15, Lockmead Road, N.15.

MICHAELSON : TAUIL.—The engagement is announced of Blanche, daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. S. Michaelson, 23, Overdale Street, Langside, Glasgow, to Marco, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Tauil, "The Beeches," West Didsbury, Manchester.

REUBEN : KATZ.—The engagement is announced of Godfrey (R.A.S.C.), second son of Mrs. Lubinsky, formerly Mrs. Reuben, and the late Mr. Reuben, 36, Cranwich Road, N.15, to Marie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Katz, 5, Redbourne Road, Hemel Hempstead.

Engagements—(*Continued*)

SHUSTER : STAMP.—Diane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Shuster, 210, The Vale, N.W.11, to Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stamp, 64, Leeside Crescent, N.W.11.

WALLEN : GOLDSTONE.—Phyllis, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Wallen, 4, Alma Road, Penylan, Cardiff, to 2nd Lieutenant Herbert Goldstone, Royal Signals, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldstone, 12, Ivy Road, Gosforth, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

COHEN : NEEDLEMAN.—The marriage of Myer, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, of 32, Penge Road, Upton Park, E.13, to Hannah, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Needleman, of 89, Poynters Road, Dunstable, Beds., will be solemnised on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 1 p.m., at the West Ham Synagogue, Earlham Grove, Forest Gate, E.7.

KLEIN : CALMAN.—The marriage of Sadie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Klein, of 155, King's Cross Road, W.C.1, to Herbert Calman, of 46, Trinity Court, W.C.1, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Herman Calman, will be solemnised on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at the Great Synagogue, London, E.C.3.

ROSENBLOOM : PLIGHT.—The marriage of Sydney, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenbloom, 12, Bernard House, Toynbee Street, E.1, to Irene, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Plight, 18, Cranhurst Road, N.W.2, will be solemnised at the Cricklewood Synagogue, Walm Lane, N.W.2, on August 30, 1942, at 12 noon.

In view of the national duty to reduce newsprint consumption, it has been necessary to restrict this year the space available for the insertion of

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

In consequence, we have been compelled to "spread" publication of greetings announcements over a number of weeks. Space will be allocated in order of of receipt. The first issue of greetings will be found on page 13 this week.

The charge for New Year greetings announcements (which must be prepaid) is 12s. 6d. for the first 20 words, and 2s. 6d. for each additional 6 words or less.

Owing to certain technical difficulties, Hebrew letters, it is deeply regretted, cannot be inserted in the body of the announcements.

MARRIAGES

LANDAU : STROSS.—The marriage was solemnised on Sunday, August 16, 1942, at the Adas Israel Synagogue, Manchester, of Pilot Officer Hyme Landau, of Stockport, to Belle Stross, of Prestwich.

WEISS : DIMSON.—The marriage of Mildred, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weiss, of 29, High Road, Wood Green, to David, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Dimson, of 14, Brays Lane, Ely, was solemnised on Sunday, August 23, 1942, at the New Synagogue, Egerton Road, N.16.

SILVER WEDDING

WOOLF.—On September 2, 1917, the marriage of Hettie and Henry Woolf was solemnised at Duke's Place Synagogue.—103, Brondesbury Park, London, N.W.2.

DEATHS

BARNET.—On August 20, 1942, Mr. Israil Barnet, aged 70, of 204, Upper Clapton Road, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing widow, sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.

CAPLAN.—On August 14, 1942, Phillip Caplan. Sadly missed by his sorrowing wife Faye, son Vivian, parents, sisters, brothers, mother-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, and cousins.—9, Reedale Road, Liverpool, 18 (late of Manchester).

GLASBERG.—On Thursday, August 20, 1942 (Ellul 7, 5702), Dinah Glasberg, aged 36 years, dearly loved wife of Reuben Glasberg, and adored daughter of Jacob and the late Clara Zelcovitch. Mourned and for ever missed by her devoted husband, father, sisters Yetta Gordon, Jinnie Dank and Bella Lazarus, brother "Sonny" Selcoe, sister-in-law Doreen, brothers-in-law, nephews, nieces, and all relatives and friends. Dinah had a nature one could not help loving, and a heart that was purer than gold, and to those who knew her and loved her, her memory will never grow cold.—127, Leicester Road, Salford, 7.

GLASBERG.—On August 20, 1942, Diana Glasberg. Beloved friend of Doris Goldman (Manchester), Rebecca Greenwald (Palestine), Tilly Faust (Manchester), and Bertha Rayner (London) (Dembowsky sisters).

LEON.—On August 22, 1942, suddenly, at Bispham Nursing Home, Bessie (née Della), beloved wife of Isaac Leon, 484, Ecclesall Road, Sheffield. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, son Neville (Middle East Forces), sisters and brothers, mother-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives, and friends.

PLATT.—On August 24, 1942, at Aylesbury, suddenly, Dr. A. Laurie Platt, of 64, Lichfield Grove, Finchley, N.3. Dearly loved husband of Clarice, and adored "Daddy" of Alan. Deeply mourned.

PLATT.—On August 24, 1942, suddenly, Laurie Platt. Beloved brother of Marks, Israel, Julius, Maurice, and Bella. Deeply mourned by all his family.

REFSON.—On Wednesday, August 19, 1942, Henry Refson, of 6, Osborne Terrace, South Shields, passed away peacefully. Irreparable loss to the bereaved widow, sons, and daughters. Deeply mourned by all his loved ones.—תהא נשמתו צרורה בצרור החיים

RENNIE.—On Friday, August 21, 1942, at Edgbaston, Birmingham, Solomon Rennie, aged 44 (late of Glasgow). All communications to Joseph Cohen and Cowen, Solicitors, Somerset House, Temple Street, Birmingham, 2.

ROSE.—On Friday, August 21, 1942, Maurice Rose, adored husband of Rebecca (Beck), and darling "Daddy" of Pearl, Mamie, and Jean. Deeply mourned by them, and by his son-in-law Alfred, and his granddaughter Patricia. May his dear soul rest in peace.—56, Milverton Road, Brondesbury, N.W.6.

ROSE.—On August 21, 1942, Maurice Rose, of 56, Milverton Road, N.W.6, son of Mr. A. and the late Mrs. Rosenberg. Deeply mourned by his sister, Fanny (Mrs. Dann); brothers, Harry, Alfred, and David (Dave); brother-in-law, Max; sisters-in-law, Ena and "Dolly"; and nephews, Percy, Bernard, and Milton.

SPILL.—On August 9, 1942, at Sheffield, Hyam Spill, son of the late Rev. A. N. and Mrs. Spill. Deeply mourned by his sister Julia, relatives, and friends.—9, Sidney Terrace, Bishops Stortford, Herts.

ON ACTIVE SERVICE

SAFFER.—In August, 1942, Lieutenant Neville N. Saffer, aged 33, of The King's Regiment, **died of wounds** in India. Dearly beloved eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Saffer, 256, Lidgett Lane, Leeds, 7. Deeply mourned by his parents, grandmother, brothers, uncles, and aunts.

IN MEMORIAM

DIED ON SERVICE

HORNE.—In proud and loving memory of Pilot Officer Aubrey A. Horne, R.A.F.V.R., beloved only son of Nathaniel and Leah Horne, and brother of Geraldine. **Killed on active service** August 27, 1941.

In Memoriam—(*Continued*)

HORNE.—In proud and loving memory of our junior chief, Pilot Officer Aubrey A. Horne, R.A.F.V.R., who gave his life in the service of his country. He is always in our thoughts.—The staff of M. and N. Horne, Ltd.

BARON.—In ever loving memory of Sol. Baron, who died August 28, 1940. Deeply regretted.—Late of 100, Priory Road, N.W.6.

BRILLIANT.—In loving memory of Aaron H. Brilliant, who passed away September 4, 1933. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his sorrowing wife and sons. May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—79, Sandringham Road, E.8.

COHEN.—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Louis Jacob Cohen, who passed away September 6, 1941. Deeply mourned by his wife, son, daughters, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, and grandsons.—2, Mount Harold Terrace, Dublin.

DEYONG.—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Lewis Deyong, who passed away Ellul 16, 5691, corresponding with August 29, 1931. Sadly missed by his loving wife, son, daughters, and grandchildren.

FALK.—Treasured memories of Hannah, who passed away August 27, 1939. For ever in the thoughts of "Daddy," Freda, and Lawrence.

GOODMAN.—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Ettie Goodman, who departed this life on Ellul 12, 5701 (September 4). Mourned by all her family. ת׳נ׳צ׳ב׳ה—6, Manor House Drive, N.W.6.

GROSE.—Cherished memories of my darling husband, Louis Grose, who passed away August 31, 1940. Ever in the thoughts of his sorrowing wife Clara, brothers, sisters, and relatives. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance live for ever.

HEFTEL.—In loving memory of Julius Heftel, who passed away August 26, 1930, in Palestine. Deeply mourned by his wife, daughter Mrs. D. Rosen, and son, David Heftel.

HYMAN.—In loving memory of Moses Hyman, who died September 11, 1941. Ever in the thoughts of his wife and son.—88, Bury Old Road, Manchester.

ISAACS.—In unfading memory of our adored wife and mother, Annie Isaacs, late of 61, Spencer Place, Leeds, who passed away on September 18, 1929. Ever in the thoughts of her sorrowing husband Charles, daughter Mrs. Bertha Conway, and sons Leslie, Edward, and Arnold.—33, King's Mount, Leeds.

KASMIR.—In ever loving memory of my dear husband and our devoted father, Harry Kasmir, who was taken from us Ellul 19, 5700 (September 22, 1940). Deeply mourned by his heartbroken wife, son Vincent, and daughters Doris and Sonya. God rest his soul in peace. An everlasting grief.—East Cliff Manor, Bournemouth.

KREMNER.—In loving memory of Louis Kremner, who passed away August 29, 1940. Always remembered by his devoted sons Sam and Jack (R.A.O.C.), sisters, brothers, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, and relatives. The memory of his sweet and gentle nature will live for ever in our hearts.—Manchester.

LEVENTHALL.—In ever loving and cherished memory of our darling wife and mother, Annie, who departed from us August 26, 1941. Ever in our thoughts. May her dear soul rest in peace.—29, Fortfield Terrace, Dublin.

MYERS.—In unfading memory of our beloved husband and father, Jack Myers, who passed away August 29, 1940. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his wife and children.—3, Esplanade, Harrogate.

PLOTZKER.—In sacred memory of our beloved mother, Annie Plotzker, who departed this life on Ellul 16, 1941. Always remembered by her husband, David; sons and daughters, Isidore, Joe, Millie, Jack, Stella, and Aubrey; sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, and grandchildren. God rest her dear soul in peace.

PRAGER.—In devoted memory of our darling husband and "Daddy," Hyman Prager (Dublin). So greatly missed. Always in the thoughts of his loving wife, daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends.

TRUP.—In loving and cherished memory of our dear husband and father, Abraham (Alfred) Trup, who was taken from us suddenly Ellul 12, 5701. Most sadly missed by his heartbroken wife, daughter, sons, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, and grandchildren. God rest his dear soul in peace. American papers, please copy.—100, Clapton Common, Stamford Hill, E.5.

MEMORIAL STONES

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

BENJAMIN.—The tombstone in memory of our adored husband and "Daddy," Dr. Mark Benjamin, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m.

HANDEL.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dearest husband and "Daddy," Maurice Handel, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 4 p.m.—7, Yew Tree Court, N.W.11.

HIMMELMAN.—The tombstone to Mrs. Himmelman will be consecrated at the Streatham Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 2.30 p.m.—11, Bristol House, Southampton Row, W.C.

HORWICH.—The tombstone in loving memory of Reuben Horwich will be consecrated at the Polish Burial Ground, Urmston, on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 12 noon.—111, Leicester Road, Salford, 7.

KREEGER.—The memorial in loving memory of the late Mary Kreeger, of "Alpina," Holly Park, Crouch Hill, N.4, will be consecrated on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 4 p.m., at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

LOVESTONE.—The tombstone in loving memory of Esther Lovestone will be consecrated at Witton Cemetery, Birmingham, on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m.

PETRIKOSKI.—The tombstone in loving memory of the late Harris Petrikoski will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m.

ROSS.—The memorial and consecration service for our beloved mother, Ellen Ross, will take place at Plashet Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m. Will friends of Sydney, Cyril, Harry, and Jack Ross please take this as the only intimation.

ROSSEN.—The tombstone in loving memory of Mr. Samuel Rossen, late of 1, Heathfield Park, N.W.2, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m. Only intimation.

STEIN.—The tombstone in loving memory of Ralph Stein will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 2 p.m.

Memorial Stones—(*Continued*)

WALLER.—The tombstone of the late Hyman Waller (ת״נ״צ״ב״ה) will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 4 p.m. Will relatives and friends please note, this is the only intimation.—22, Deancross Street, E.1.

WALLER.—The tombstone in memory of Phillip Waller will be consecrated at Gosforth Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 3 p.m.—The Rev. I. Waller, 27, Clifton Road, Newcastle-on-Tyne, 4.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

BARNETT.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Robert Barnett, late of 65, Brondesbury Park, Willesden, N.W.6, and 2, Walsingham Terrace, Hove, will be consecrated on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 3 p.m., at the Jewish Cemetery, Bevendene, Brighton. Conveyances will be at Brighton station to meet the train leaving Victoria at 1.28 p.m.

COHEN.—The tombstone in cherished memory of our dear mother, the late Hannah Cohen, will be consecrated at Urmston Cemetery, Manchester, on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 12.30 p.m. Only intimation.

GOODMAN.—The memorial to the memory of the late Hyman Goodman, of Openshaw, will be consecrated on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at Urmston Cemetery, at 12.30 p.m.

HARRIS.—The consecration of the tombstone in loving memory of the late Raphael Baron Harris will take place at Rainsough Cemetery, Prestwich, Manchester, on September 6, 1942, at 11.30 a.m. prompt. Relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.

MENDEL.—The tombstone in sacred memory of the late Yetta Mendel will be consecrated at Blackley Cemetery, Manchester, on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 11.30 a.m. Afterwards tablets in loving memory of our dear parents, Jacob and Yetta Mendel, will be unveiled at the Home for Aged Jews. Relatives and friends please accept this, the only intimation.

SAIPE.—The memorial to the late Maurice J. Saipe will be consecrated at Gildersome Cemetery on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 11 a.m. Conveyances leave New Synagogue, Chapeltown Road, Leeds, at 10.30 a.m. Will friends please accept this as the only intimation.

SAUNDERS.—The memorial to our darling daughter, Sally, will be consecrated on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 3 p.m., at the Southern Cemetery, Manchester. Only intimation.—20, New Hall Avenue, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

SELINGER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Lilian Peggy, only child of Edward and Gertie Selinger, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

SPIRO.
MARKS. The memorial stone of the late Rebecca Spiro; Iris Marks; Rose, Gordon, and Gerald Spiro will be consecrated on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at Gilroes Cemetery, Leicester, at 3 p.m. Will relatives and friends note that this is the only intimation.

STROM.—The tombstone in loving memory of Esther Strom will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on September 6, 1942, at 3.30 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.

WOOLF.—The memorial stone in memory of the late Edwin M. Woolf (Eddy) will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 12 noon. Relatives and friends please accept this, only intimation.—Lewis Woolf, 30, Prothero Gardens, Hendon, N.W.4.

ZUCKER.—The tombstone in loving memory of Isaac, husband of Esther Zucker, will be consecrated on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at Rainsough Cemetery, at 11 a.m.—45, Woodlands Street, Manchester.

PERSONAL

Mrs. A. Black, of Belfast, wishes to thank relatives and many friends for their visits, letters, and telegrams of sympathy received in her recent great bereavement.

Mrs. L. Niman and family, of Middlesbrough, wish to thank relatives and friends for their kind visits and letters of sympathy received in their sad bereavement.

Cadet and Mrs. J. Barsh (Stella Glass) sincerely thank relatives and friends for their kind gifts and congratulations on the occasion of their marriage.—58, Stanley Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hirst, 490, Street Lane West, Leeds, 7, thank their dear parents, relatives, and friends for handsome gifts, telegrams, and good wishes received on their recent marriage.

Young lady, aged 22, wishes to make the acquaintance of another lady with a view to friendship.—Address, 7,020, Jewish Chronicle.

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CRICKLEWOOD SYNAGOGUE

READER to-morrow (Sabbath), the Rev. S. Kusevitsky (of the Great Synagogue).

HAMPSTEAD SYNAGOGUE

PREACHER to-morrow (Sabbath), the Rev. Ephraim Levine, M.A. (New West End Synagogue).

A SERVICE to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Synagogue will be held on Sunday, September 6, at 3.30 p.m. The Address will be delivered by the Very Rev. the Chief Rabbi, and the officiants will be Rabbi Dayan M. Gollop, B.A., S.C.F., the Rev. G. Boyars, the Rev. W. Stoloff, and the Rev. M. Nemeth, B.A. Admission will be by ticket only.

NORTH LONDON SYNAGOGUE
Lofting Road, N.1

THE Hon. Officers and the Secretary will attend Sunday morning, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., to enrol new members and allot seats. The Hebrew Classes meet three times weekly.

HENDON SYNAGOGUE
Raleigh Close, N.W.4

OVERFLOW Services for the High Holy-days will be held at the Hendon Synagogue Hall. Applications for seats and membership should be made to the Secretary, mornings between 10 and 12 noon. The Hon. Officers will be in attendance on September 1, 3, 8, and 9, from 7.30 to 8.30 p.m.

EALING AND ACTON DISTRICT SYNAGOGUE
15, Grange Road, Ealing, W.5

THE Hon. Officers and Minister of the above Synagogue will be in attendance at the Synagogue on Sundays, August 30 and September 6, between the hours of 10.30 a.m. and 1 p.m. for the purpose of enrolling new members and the allotment of seats.

HARROW AND KENTON HEBREW CONGREGATION
28, Sheepcote Road, Harrow

THE Hon. Officers will be in attendance on Sunday mornings, August 30 and September 6, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., to allocate seats for the High Festivals. Admission by ticket only.

SOUTH-EAST LONDON (ASSOCIATE) SYNAGOGUE
117, Lewisham Way

HIGH Holy-day Services will be held as follows: Rosh Hashana, evenings at the Synagogue; mornings at New Cross Palais Hall. Kol Nidrei at the Technical Institute, Lewisham Way. Yom Kippur at New Cross Palais Hall.

Applications for seats should be made at the Synagogue between 10.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. on Sundays.

WEST HAM DISTRICT SYNAGOGUE
93-95, Earlham Grove, E.7

THE Hon. Officers and Secretary will be in attendance on Sundays, August 30 and September 6, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., for enrolling new members and seat letting for the Holy-days.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER AND DEDICATION

Thursday, September 3

SERVICE AT 6.30 p.m.

Brixton (Preacher: The Very Rev. the Chief Rabbi, Dr. J. H. Hertz), Great, Bayswater, Central (Service in the Adolph Tuck Hall, Woburn House), Cricklewood, Dalston, Dollis Hill, East London, Finchley, Golders Green, Hammersmith, Hampstead, Hampstead Garden Suburb, Hendon, New, and St. John's Wood.

SERVICE AT 5.30 p.m.

New West End.

SERVICE AT 7 p.m.

Hackney, Stoke Newington, Willesden, Mile End and Bow, and Ilford.

SERVICE AT 7.30 p.m.

Richmond, Wembley, and Palmers Green.

MEMBERSHIP GROUPS

Amersham, Woodside Hall, Woodside Road, 7.15 p.m.
Cheltenham, The Synagogue, St. James's Square, 7 p.m.
Guildford, Ayers Hall, Bury Street (off High Street), 7 p.m.
Hemel Hempstead, 147, Belswains Lane, 7.30 p.m.
Windsor, Communal Hall, Thames Hotel Annexe, 7.30 p.m.

For times of Service at other Synagogues, inquiry should be made locally.

UNION OF ORTHODOX HEBREW CONGREGATIONS
DAY OF NATIONAL PRAYER

AN Intercession Service for all Union Synagogues (arranged by the Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations) will be held at the Spitalfields Great Synagogue (Machsike Hadath), on Thursday, September 3, 1942, at 5 p.m. The Sermon will be delivered by the Rabbi of the Union, Dr. S. Schonfeld, Ph.D.

CRICKLEWOOD AND BRONDESBURY BETH HAMEDRASH, KEHAL YISROEL
185, Willesden Lane, N.W.6 ('Phone Willesden 5184)

HIGH Festival Services will be held at the above Beth Hamedrash.

EDGWARE ADATH YISROEL CONGREGATION
35, Broadhurst Avenue ('Phone EDGware 3197)

OVERFLOW Services on the forthcoming High Festivals will be held at the Edgware Parish Hall, Station Road. Rabbi A. Babad will deliver the sermons, and Chazan the Rev. M. Duboff will officiate. Tickets can be obtained at 35, Broadhurst Avenue, and from the Rev. M. Duboff, 12, Hillside Gardens; Mr. Harris-Chaimofsky, 37, The Drive; and Mr. A. Enfield, 4, Manor Croft, Green Lane.

Enrolments for the Talmud Torah Classes every Sunday morning at 35, Broadhurst Avenue.

בית המדרש אוהל ישראל
HEBREW CONGREGATION
46, Brooke Road, Stoke Newington, N.16

OVERFLOW Services on the ימים נוראים will be held at St. Michael's Hall, Northwold Road, N.16. Rabbi H. Yoselovic and Cantor M. J. Morgenstein will officiate. Applications for seats should be made at the Synagogue.

NEW SYNAGOGUE
821, Finchley Road, Golders Green, N.W.11

SERVICES are held daily under the auspices of the Rabbi of Sassow. Special arrangements have been made for the ensuing High Festivals. Please make your applications for seats early. J. Phillips, Hon. Secretary.

NORTH WEST LONDON (Golders Green) SYNAGOGUE
Federation of Synagogues
89, Woodstock Avenue, N.W.11 ('Phone SPEedwell 6238)

OVERFLOW Services will be held at St. Ninian's Hall, Finchley Road, N.W.11, corner Helenslea Avenue (opposite the Ionic Cinema). For membership and seats apply at the Synagogue. Sundays from 12 to 2 p.m. Weekdays, 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.

Hebrew Classes reopen on Sunday, October 11.

NORTH-WESTERN REFORM SYNAGOGUE
Alyth Gardens, Finchley Road, N.W.11

HIGH Holy-day Services. The Hon. Officers will be in attendance at the Synagogue on Sunday morning, September 6, between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., to issue tickets for the above Services in the Synagogue.

NORTH WATFORD

HIGH Festival Services will be held at St. Peter's Hall, opp. Tudor Drive. Apply Mr. W. Houspeter, 58, Tudor Drive, North Watford.

REGENT'S PARK AND BELSIZE PARK SYNAGOGUE
Eton Road, N.W.3

THE Hon. Officers and the Secretary will be in attendance on Sunday mornings, 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m., for the purposes of allotting seats and enrolling new members.

Obercantor S. Weiss (of Vienna) will conduct the Service.

SHEPHERD'S BUSH SYNAGOGUE
Poplar Grove, W.6

THE Hon. Officers will be in attendance Sunday morning, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., for seat allocation and enrolment of members. Early application is advised.

N. Goldston, Hon. Secretary.

WOODSIDE PARK HEBREW CONGREGATION
(Serving North Finchley, Totteridge, and Barnet)

SERVICES for the High Festivals will be held at the Finchley Baptist Hall, Dale Grove (near Tally Ho corner), Ballards Lane, N.12. Applications for seats should be made to:

E. Michaels, Esq., 99, Cissbury Ring South, N.12 (Hillside 4203).
M. Freeman, Esq., 33, Northiam, N.12 (Hillside 1522), or
H. Rose, Esq., 36, Lewes Road, Woodhouse Road, N.12 (Hillside 2212).

SPHARDISH SYNAGOGUE IN HENDON

A NEW Synagogue will be opened in Hendon at 29, Green Lane, Hendon, for the High Festivals and all the year.

Very comfortable seats for ladies and gentlemen at low rates. Good Baalei Tefilla.

If interested apply by post; or from September 1 office will be open every evening from 6 to 8, and all day Sunday.

SOUTH LONDON LIBERAL SYNAGOGUE
Prentis Road, Streatham, S.W.16

HOLY-DAY SERVICES

Friday,	September 11	Eve of New Year ..	5. 0 p.m.
Sabbath,	September 12	New Year	10.30 a.m.
Sunday,	September 20	Eve of Atonement ..	4.30 p.m.
Monday,	September 21	Day of Atonement ..	10.30 a.m.

Particulars of membership from Mr. S. M. Rich, 67, Cricklade Avenue, S.W.2 (TUL. 4086).

Principal required for Religion School, which reopens for the Autumn Term on Sunday, September 27, at 10.15 a.m.

WESTERN SYNAGOGUE
(formerly Alfred Place, W.C.1)

SERVICES for the High Festivals will be held at the Rose Hertz Hall, Woburn House, W.C.1. Application for seats may be made to the office, Room 2, Mezzanine Floor, Woburn House, W.C.1 ('phone EUSton 5336).

WEST END TALMUD TORAH AND BIKKUR HOLIM SYNAGOGUE
21, Dean Street, Oxford Street, W.1

OVERFLOW Services will be held in the large hall for the forthcoming High Festivals. For tickets apply to the Secretary between 9.30 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. daily; and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

WOKING, SURREY

SERVICES for the High Festivals will be held at the Atalanta Hall. Applications for seats should be made as early as possible to the Hon. Secretary, W. Harris, Esq., "Swinderby," Coley Avenue, Park Road West, Woking, on Sunday mornings between 10 and 12 noon.

BANGOR HEBREW CONGREGATION
Arvonia Buildings, North Wales

THE Hon. Officers of the Congregation will be in attendance on Sunday, August 30, between 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., for the allocation of seats for the High Festivals.

BRIGHTON AND HOVE HEBREW CONGREGATION (WEST HOVE BRANCH)
Marmion Road, Hove

ALL applications for seats for the High Festivals should be made to Mr. S. Gaetski, 29, Raphael Road, Hove. The Services will be conducted by Mr. N. Margolis.

BUXTON, DERBYSHIRE: DALE ROAD SYNAGOGUE

WILL intending visitors note that accommodation for the High Festivals is limited, and early application for seats is advisable.

CAMBRIDGE

OVERFLOW Services for the High Festivals will this year again be held at the Friends' Meeting House, under the auspices of the Cambridge Jewish War-time Residents' Organisation.

The Hon. Officers and the Secretary will be in attendance at the offices of the Communal Centre, 35, Hills Road, for the purpose of allocating seats, on Sundays and Tuesdays between 2.30 and 4.30 in the afternoon.

Arrangements are being made for serving members of H.M. Forces.

CHAPELTOWN HEBREW CONGREGATION, LEEDS

THANK all applicants in connection with the position of Minister. These are receiving attention.

CHORLEY WOOD CONGREGATION (Herts.)

SERVICES for the High Festivals will be held at the Memorial Hall. Please apply to L. Zigmond, Flat 6, Main Parade, Chorley Wood ('phone Chorley Wood 577).

COLWYN BAY AND DISTRICT HEBREW CONGREGATION
Comrade's Club, Douglas Road, Colwyn Bay

THE Hon. Officers will be in attendance at the Synagogue on Sunday mornings, between 11 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., to enrol new members and to let seats for the coming High Festivals.

DORKING JEWISH COMMUNITY

HIGH Festival Services will be held at St. Paul's Church Hall, Falkland's Road, Dorking. For seats, apply at Leslie House, Church Street, Dorking.

HENLEY-ON-THAMES (OXON) AND DISTRICT

SERVICES on the High Festivals will be held at the Church Hall, Reading Road, Henley-on-Thames. For details apply to Oscar Philipp, 14, St. Andrew's Road, Henley-on-Thames.

HOVE HEBREW CONGREGATION
Holland Road, Hove

THE Hon. Officers will be in attendance at the Synagogue on Sundays mornings, between 10.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of enrolling members and allocating seats in the Synagogue for the High Festivals.

IVER, BUCKS.

HIGH Festival services will be held at the First Aid Post. Particulars from S. Tropp, Chelston, Syke Cluan, Iver.

KINGS LANGLEY

RESIDENTS of Kings Langley, Apsley, Chipperfield, and Bovingdon are reminded that services will be held at Whitlars, Kings Langley, on the High Festivals.

For full details 'phone Kings Langley 7963.

LETCHWORTH HEBREW CONGREGATION

HIGH Festival Services will be held at Howard Hall, Norton Way South, 62, Mullway, and 1, Baldock Road. Applications for seats should be made to 22, Bedford Road. J. Richman, Hon. Secretary.

LLANDUDNO

THE Wardens and Officers will be in attendance at the Synagogue, Masonic Hall, Upper Mostyn Street, Llandudno, for the allotment of seats for the High Festivals, on Sundays August 30 and September 6, between the hours of 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m., and 2.30 to 5 p.m. Please make early application as seating is limited, and there will be no overflow service.

PINNER AND DISTRICT "MINYAN"

ARRANGEMENTS have been made to hold High Festival Services at the Vagabond Hall, corner of Marsh Road and Eastcote Road, Pinner. Tickets from Hon. Secretary, Mr. H. Lipman, 47, Bridle Road, Pinner-Eastcote ('phone Pinner 6374); Mr. Silverston, 174, Whittington Way, Pinner; Mr. Nathan, 7, Litchfield Road, Northwood Hills; and Mr. Schagrin, 4, High Worple, Rayners Lane.

RHYL AND DISTRICT

NOTICE to Jewish residents and visitors. The Services for the Yom Tovim will not be held in the Amphitheatre this year. Arrangements have been made to hold them elsewhere. The accommodation afforded is limited. Those desirous of attending should make an early application for seats to the Executive, Synagogue Chambers, 5, Queen Street, Rhyl, any Sunday morning before Yomtov between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. J. H. Lipman, Hon. Secretary.

SOUTHPORT HEBREW CONGREGATION
Arnside Road

THE Executive will be in attendance to allocate seats for the High Festivals (Overflow Services only—no seats available in the Synagogue) on Sunday, August 30, from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

WATFORD & DISTRICT HEBREW CONGREGATION
91, Queen's Road, High Street, Watford

SERVICES for High Festivals will be held at above address. Allotting of seats, membership, and enrolment on Sunday mornings, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at 22, Upton Road (Watford 3292). All communications to Hon. Secretary, Mr. L. Dunitz, 45, Shaftesbury Road.

WATFORD, GARSTON, AND LEAVESDEN DISTRICTS

SERVICES for the High Festivals will be held this year at The Hall, 3, Horseshoe Lane, Garston. All visitors will be welcome. Inquiries to S. Gordon, Esq., 44, Sheepcote Lane ('phone Garston 2514).

JEWS' COLLEGE TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS
PASS LIST—JULY, 1942

Final Grade.—Montague Newman (11).

Intermediate Grade.—Moses Aberbach (11), Miss Jenny R. Blau (1), Myer Levenstein (3), Mrs. I. Springer (1).

Intermediate Grade, Part 1.—Miss Edith Kahn (completing certificate) (1).

Preparatory Grade.—Derek D. Abrahams (6), George Albert (10), Philip Beckman (4), Miss Gerda Beruh (7), Charles Cohen (distinction) (6), Paul Freilich (4), Manuel M. Ferris (9), Mervyn Goodman (5), Miss Joan T. Hurst (2), Miss Pauline Jacobson (11), Miss Sarah R. Kibel (4), Miss Lisbeth S. Kirschner (distinction) (11), Miss Gretel Kohn (11), Jacob Mandelson (distinction) (9), Miss Paula Neuwirth (6), Miss Sheila Oster (11), Arnold J. Rosin (8), Miss Rita Sorenson (5), Miss Eva S. Szmulowicz (5).

Classes.—(1) Jewish Higher Education Centre; (2) Cardiff Students' Classes; (3) Brick Lane Talmud Torah; (4) Oxford Hebrew Classes; (5) Greenbank Drive Synagogue Classes, Liverpool; (6) Sunderland Hebrew Classes; (7) Newport Hebrew Classes; (8) Giffnock and Newlands Hebrew Classes, Glasgow; (9) Queen's Park Hebrew School, Glasgow; (10) Dublin Talmud Torah; (11) Private Study.

M. STEPHANY, Secretary.

HOME AND HOSPITAL FOR JEWISH INCURABLES

THE Annual General Court of Life Governors and Subscribers will be held at the offices of Messrs. Seligman Bros., 18, Austin Friars, Throgmorton Street, E.C.2, on Wednesday, September 2, 1942.

The Chair will be taken by Sir Charles D. Seligman, Vice-President, at 3.15 p.m. precisely.

AGENDA

To receive the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year 1941.

To elect Hon. Officers, Board of Management, and Auditors for the ensuing year.

And for such other business as may occur.

THE JEWISH ORPHANAGE

THE Treasurers acknowledge with thanks a kind gift of £5 from "Grateful."

THE Council for Progressive Jewish Education invites applications from teachers desiring to teach in its classes in London or the provinces. Apply, by letter, to the Secretary, 33, Seymour Place, London, W.1.

EDUCATIONAL

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28, Commercial Street, E.1

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EVENING CLASSES FOR ADULTS IN
Art, Speech, Drama, Music, Languages, First Aid, Ballet, Fencing, Keep-Fit, Economics, Psychology, International Affairs, School of Social Studies.

Call or send stamped envelope for syllabus.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

GENTLEMAN with very good connections in Argentina desires contact firms interested in developing business or establishing agencies there; excellent references given and requested.—Address, 7,054, Jewish Chronicle.

APARTMENTS WANTED

BUSINESS owner, wife and son, all on war-work, require occasional accommodation; double bedroom, 1 single, sitting-room, and bathroom; as family, or separately with attendance in home (cottage, flat, or house) with modern conveniences; must have telephone; would suit family who do not want permanent residents; rental will be paid whether accommodation is used or not; must be easy access London, within 50 miles, and quiet and restful.—"J.," c/o Pethick's, 30, Bouverie Street, E.C.4.

ARTICLES FOR SALE

MODERN uncut moquette lounge suite, six pieces, as new. Also gas fire.—277, Great North Way, Hendon, N.W.4.

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY

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MEDICAL, ETC.

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Rev. J. Davidson
Authorised Mohel, Diploma by Medical Board
Evacuation cases attended
107, HOLMLEIGH ROAD, N.16
'Phone: Stamford Hill 6123

CIRCUMCISION
Rev. C. Goldman
Surgical Mohel
Certified by the Medical Board
10, WOODBERRY DOWN, N.4 ('Phone: STA. 5280)

CIRCUMCISION
The well-known qualified Mohel
Rev. N. Halter
For evacuated cases apply 123, Castle Hill, Reading
'Phone: Reading 341011
For London cases apply 8, Philson Mansions, Philpot St., E.1
'Phone: Stepney Green 4195

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Rev. J. Kibel
Authorised Mohel, Diploma by Medical Board
39, Wellington St., Oxford ('Phone: Oxford 2809)
120, CLARENCE ROAD, LONDON, E.5
('Phone: AMHerst 3008)

CIRCUMCISION
Rev. M. Polakoff
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22, ALEXANDRA ROAD, HORNSEY, N.8
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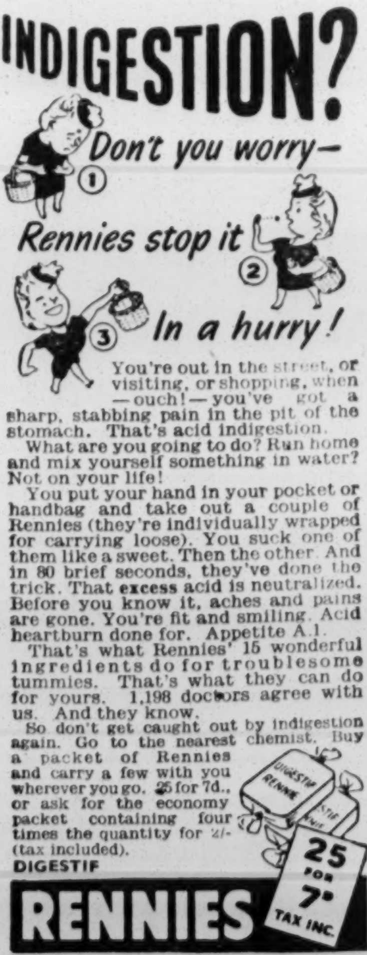

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JEWISH ARMY PROJECT

The Anglo-American Committee

MESSAGE FROM PROF. OESTERLEY

The Anglo-American Committee for a Jewish Army has received a message of sympathy and support from the great scholar and churchman, Professor W. Oesterley. The Professor remarks that the project of forming a Jewish Army is " a matter of profound interest to countless people in England, as the grounds of interest are not confined to the strategic point of view, though this naturally stands foremost."

" In addition to this," he continues, " there is for example a feeling of just satisfaction among many at the thought of Jews fighting their cruel and shameful persecutor and taking, as it is hoped, a just and righteous revenge.

" The writer lived in Germany for some time years ago, and saw something of the vile treatment to which Jews were subjected, for no other reason than that of sheer blackguardism. And one other thing, if a Christian clergyman may be permitted to express it, there will be something exceeding mere interest at the sight of Jews co-operating with Christians in the struggle against paganism. Hitler has proclaimed himself a god and millions believe in him. To combine in overcoming this horrible evil is a sacred duty and Jews will thus be taking part with Christians in ridding the world of enemies to God and man."

" English Churchman's " Views

In the course of some very sympathetic editorial references to the Jewish Army project and the Government's creation of a Palestine Regiment with separate Jewish battalions, the ENGLISH CHURCHMAN, the well-known Church of England periodical, declares: " It may be this course is the best under the circumstances, but we should have liked to see the Jews' request acceded to."

FIGHTING FORCE DEMAND

East End Mass Meeting

At a public meeting held at the People's Palace last Sunday, under the auspices of the Zionist Federation " Defence of Palestine " Campaign, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

> Recognising with His Majesty's Government the right of the Jewish people, the first enemy of the Nazis, to fight under their own flag and in their own name, and realising the urgent necessity for the defence of Palestine, this mass meeting of Jews and non-Jews in the People's Palace in the East End of London demands that the Government form a Jewish Fighting Force and an adequate Home Guard for the defence of the Holy Land."

Dr. Eli Davis presided and said they were there because they believed in a Jewish Fighting Force, first, because Hitler had declared war against the Jews by declaring that one of the Nazi war aims was the extermination of every Jew, and also because they believed that a Jewish Fighting Force could materially help the Allied cause. And, finally, they wanted this Force to be a front-line fighting force.

Miss Harriet Cohen, C.B.E., the pianist, said that the Jews had always been known as a people of learning and culture, but it was thrilling now to know that they are also a people of fighters, who had been carrying on the fight since 1933. The people of Palestine had a passionate desire to defend, themselves, what they had built up with their own sweat and blood and tears, and she found it farcical that they had to plead and shout for a fighting force of their own. The Jews had the largest casualty list of any people in this war. More than a million Jews were dead and they had more reason than anyone else to fight for existence.

The Rev. A. Baum and the Rev. A. Einhorn (of the West Ham District Synagogue) also spoke, and Mr. J. Bannister gave a recital of Yiddish and Hebrew folk-songs.

" PROTOCOLS " IN ARABIC BROADCASTS

Latest Axis Propaganda Trick

The Axis wireless stations in Italy and Athens have begun to broadcast in Arabic extracts from the notorious forged " Protocols of the Elders of Zion." Together with the news, which is usually of both an anti-British and an anti-Jewish character, and quotations from the Koran, the Arabs are also treated to chapters from this spurious work.

KASHRUT OF ADVERTISED GOODS

While all reasonable steps are taken to assure that only kasher foodstuffs are advertised in the columns of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, we have been asked by the Beth Din to point out that the mere fact of an article of food being advertised in a Jewish paper provides no guarantee of its kashrut.

THE works of the Yiddish writer, Itzik Manger, were discussed at a meeting presided over by Mr. Benzion Margulies in London recently. Speakers included Messrs. Joseph Leftwich, A. Abrahams, J. Cang, Dr. Simon Rawidowicz, and the author himself.

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SERMON FOR THE WEEK

Is The Torah Ours?

" But the Lord hath not given you a heart to know, and eyes to see, and ears to hear, unto this day."—Deuteronomy xxix., 3.

WHAT was it that made the children of Israel open their hearts and their eyes and their ears on the day on which their forty years' journey through the wilderness came to an end? Why did they obstinately refuse to listen to Moses' teaching and to obey the Commandments of the Torah during all those years, and then suddenly awake to a realisation of their duty and to an appreciation of the value and significance of the Divine Law entrusted to their keeping? Our Sages explain. " On that day," they say, " Moses handed the Scroll of the Law to the members of the tribe of Levi, whereupon the whole of Israel came to plead before Moses and to claim that the Torah had been given to them all, without any distinction of tribe or family, and that the Law of Sinai must remain the possession of all who had been present at the Mountain to receive it." On hearing this plea Moses rejoiced. The fear that they might be losing the Torah had produced a greater effect on the masses of the people than all the exhortations and warning conveyed to them by the Lawgiver when he implored them to cherish the Torah as their inalienable possession. The true appreciation of the Divine gift only came when the people thought that it was being taken away from them and made the possession of one particular tribe. And although it is a common experience that people seldom value gifts that are freely bestowed upon them, and only begin to value them when they are in danger of losing them, it was not until Moses saw the Israelites rise above that weakness that he recognised Israel's claim to the Torah, and exclaimed: " This day thou art become a people to the Lord thy God."

BUT are not many of us to-day afflicted with the same weakness? Do not many of us fail to value and appreciate our most sacred possessions just because we believe that they are our inalienable heritage, and that no other people or community will ever appropriate them as their own? Do not many of us begin to show appreciation of Israel's master minds when we see those of other faiths adopt an attitude of admiration and reverence towards them, but not before? It is a common experience to see sons and daughters of Israel treat the Torah and its teachings with indifference until they become aware of the eagerness with which many of their Christian neighbours claim these teachings as postulates of their own faith and as dictates of its founder. True, we ought not to grudge our neighbours the satisfaction they derive from applying the adjective " Christian " to the virtues which our Torah insists on as the God-given rules for human conduct. As long as these virtues are practised by them as postulates of their religious faith there is no need for us to challenge their attitude or to convey to them constant reminders that they have borrowed these teachings from Israel's spiritual treasure-house. But this readiness to allow our neighbours to share with us some of our most sacred possessions ought not to make us oblivious of our historic rights and claims, of our moral duties and responsibilities, as the people to whom these possessions were first entrusted, and whose survival bears witness to the significance of those Divine teachings. We have no desire to see everything that is good and noble in human life and human relationships stamped with a mark of its origin, even though the origin be entirely Jewish. But neither can we acquiesce in the deliberate replacement of the ancient markings of the precepts of our Torah with new markings, which convey wrong impressions and set up misleading claims, the effects of which are the more distressing as so many common failings, faults, and wrongdoings are deliberately marked "Jewish"—as if they were due to Jewish teaching or to some innate weakness in the Jewish character. Conscientious exponents of the Christian faith do not hesitate to condemn this one-sided and unjust tendency in the application of the terms "Christian" and "Jewish." We ourselves should at least be just as emphatic in such condemnation.

THERE is, however, another aspect of the situation facing us which demands our earnest attention. Owing to the growing indifference of large sections of our Community to the study and observance of the Laws and ordinances of the Torah, there is a likelihood that the centre of gravity of Jewish life and religious activity, including religious leadership, will gradually be moved to the section or group which proclaims its unswerving loyalty to Jewish Law and Tradition and consistently describes itself as " Torah-true." From this there is only one step to the situation which arose in the course of the last century in other lands: increasing laxity and indifference in matters of Jewish religious observance, and of conformity with Jewish tradition, among those outside the " Torah-true " group; an ever-growing tendency among those inside that group to claim sole ownership of the Torah. Unless this tendency is checked in time, and steps are taken by our religious leaders to prevent it from spreading, British Jewry will lose its cohesion, and the majority will drift away even farther from the ancient moorings. The indifference of the rank and file will increase as the belief gains ground that the preservation of the Torah and the perpetuation of Jewish life are mainly the concern of one particular group, which is secluded from the rest and is ready to discharge responsibilities which historically devolve upon the whole Jewish people. It may be that if the attention of the masses of our people is drawn in time to this development and its likely consequences, there will be an awakening among them, as there was among our early ancestors who saw the Torah handed over to one selected tribe, and they will acquire " a heart to know, and eyes to see, and ears to hear," as on that day. They may then evince a greater appreciation of the value of the Divine gift entrusted to Israel at Sinai, and be ready to claim their full share in its preservation. And in the face of any challenge, from whatever quarter it may come, they will have the courage to rise and declare: the Torah *is* ours.

PALESTINE AND THE JEWS

A People's Unchallengeable Claim

From Capt. JEREMIAH HELPERN

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—May I once again trespass upon your space, this time to make clear a personal standpoint the clarification of which, I feel, will correct certain misapprehensions which might be both unfair and misleading. I was asked by one of the M.P.s who spoke in the Jewish Army debate in Parliament to give him my personal point of view on the Palestine issues that were introduced. As my reply, I think, both clarifies the matters referred to and again emphasises the rigid limits of the " terms of reference " of the American Committee for a Jewish Army and its sister committees here and elsewhere, perhaps you will permit me to give the following long extract:

> The Committee for a Jewish Army is a non-partisan body and has no political axe to grind. In our Committee are to be found Jews and non-Jews, Zionists, non-Zionists, and anti-Zionists. What unites us is the conviction that Jews who are not liable for military service in the countries of their domicile should be given an opportunity, if they feel so disposed, to fight against Hitler as Jews. This opportunity should be given to them just as it has been given to the Free French, Free Poles, and others. We have decided not to enter into any political discussions, pro-Arab or pro-Jewish, pro-Zionist or anti-Zionist, because the most important thing for us at this moment is not the post-war political aspect, but the military aim of winning this war against our arch-enemy.
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> I, therefore, personally regret that the political question of the future of Palestine should have cropped up as it did in your speech. I will be frank. As a born Palestinian who considers that country his Jewish National Home, just as Americans or Englishmen consider America and England their national homes, I have seen how every inch of Palestine (that part which is now Jewish) has been won by our sweat and blood.
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> In many lands I have seen Jewish misery, but I have not seen it in the U.S.A. and England, where I agree with you that the majority of the Jews live happily, just as but yesterday they lived happily in Germany and Italy and Central and Eastern Europe. In these countries, however, there are now five million Jews homeless and slaves of Hitler. They no longer believe that anything will save them unless they are able to build a real home of their own, and the only home in which they can believe is Palestine. I know that it will be quite impossible for these hapless people to return to their former homes in Poland, Rumania, and elsewhere in Europe, to begin again their bitter fight for bread with the millions of demobilised soldiers and war workers returning to their homes.
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> Not only there, but everywhere, the Jews are regarded as step-children and intensely disliked, to put it mildly. Even in democratic countries, such as in England, the United States, and Canada, I have heard the slogan, " Everything Hitler has done must be destroyed together with him, but for the Jews he is the right man." Only a few days ago, when I was speaking to a noble Lord in this country—a great friend of our people—he told me of Members of Parliament who had expressed very similar views.
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> I am not an enemy of the Arabs. I have lived among Arabs for long periods and like them. I agree that they, too, have a claim on Palestine. But the difference between their claim and ours is that between gluttony and hunger. Palestine, Transjordan, Syria, Iraq, Libya, Tripolitania, Algiers, Tunis, and Morocco are all places recognised or claimed as Arab states. They can be compared with a millionaire who hoards his millions without using them, but is ready to fight savagely to retain the slice of bread which a poor man needs to save his life. I have seen places in Palestine where the Bedouins still live by robbery as they did thousands of years ago, making no use of the vast, rich territories through which they wander. We brought civilisation to them, and the Arab settlements which are near the Jewish colonies have become rich and prosperous. The main opposition to us has come not from the Bedouins nor from the fellaheen, but from the rich effendis, for whom hundreds of thousands of illiterate Arabs work like slaves, and die by thousands from ignorance and disease. They fear lest these slaves should be brought to a higher level and become human beings like other men and shake off the fetters of their feudal life. This would put an end to the reign of these dictators.
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> Palestine is the crossroads of the air, sea, and land routes between Europe and the Far East. At this crossroads the Jewish people can build up a very great industrial and trading centre and become a link between Europe and Asia. The Jewish people in a Jewish Palestine can not only become a great friend to the Arab world, but can also bring European and democratic civilisation to the East. In the interests of Great Britain, I would say that if the Suez Canal requires to be guarded, the Jews in Palestine will be needed to do it, just as a friendly nation beside the Panama Canal is a necessity for the U.S.A. The only thing that the Arabs want to do is to rid themselves of any European or foreign influence. The only thing the Jews want in Palestine is to become a British Dominion. If the Moslem minority in India is entitled to British support, Britain should also support their only friends in the Near East.
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> What is much more to the immediate point is that the problem of appeasing the Arabs is to-day insoluble, not because they are bad or good, but because the great majority are pro-Axis. There are in existence five Arab armies—one in Egypt, one in Iraq, one in Transjordania, one fighting with Mussolini, and another just raised from Europe and Africa under the command of a Palestine Arab, Kawakji, to fight against the British. Those within the sphere of the influence of the British Armies are neutral or hostile as in Iraq. Those under Axis influence are fighting against the Allies. Nothing can appease the Arabs during the war and nothing can win them. " In this war there are no neutrals," the Russians say, " those who are not with us are against us."
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> While reading with great interest your speech, I could not help feeling that my pride as a Jew was hurt. You see, I do not belong to the circles of happy Jews in New York or the happy Jewish Members of Parliament such as the hon. member for Cheltenham. The majority of these are more interested in their own fate than in the fate of their people. I belong to those Jews who are aware of all our great defects, but who also know our great heritage. I am bound to the Jewish nation not only by religion, but by nationality, and there are millions of Jews who feel as I do.
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> Please forgive my frankness. I should be most thankful if, when you are in London, you will give me an opportunity of explaining my views on these matters to you more fully. They are in no way connected with the Committee for a Jewish Army, which is non-partisan and accepts all shades of opinion. So we can co-operate while differing on other points.

I am, &c.,
J. HELPERN.

6, Eton Rise, N.W.3.

" THE Hebrew Contribution to the Husbanding of the Human Race " was the subject of a lecture given by Mr. J. Yahuda at the Anglo-Palestinian Club last week. Major J. Munro presided.

MR. JOHN COOPER, a prominent member of the Christadelphian Church, addressed the Anglo-Palestinian Club, London, recently, on " The Jewish Revival—What it Means to Us." The Rev. B. Cherrick presided.

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Palestine Movement

PALESTINIAN JEWISH SOLDIERS' LOW PAY

Hardship for their Families

Mr. Ernest Frischer, who was in Palestine for two years before he came to London at the end of March to take up his position as Jewish member of the Czechoslovak State Council, gave his impressions of Palestine at a meeting of the Council of Continental Zionists which was held last week at 69, Belsize Park, N.W.3. Dr. I. Schwarzbart presided.

Mr. Frischer spoke of the need for better financial support for the families of Jewish soldiers in Palestine. The wife of a Palestine soldier, he said, was getting only £2 7s. a month, which was insufficient to cover the rental for the same period. The result was great anxiety and worry for these families.

The idea of the formation of special Jewish battalions, said Mr. Frischer, would arouse all the idealism of the Palestinian Jewish youth, particularly if they were permitted to fight under their own flag and wearing their own badge.

While he was in Palestine, Mr. Frischer continued, he saw evidences of a slight economic boom, and in this connection he referred particularly to the construction of buildings. These building enterprises, he said, were also proceeding in the neighbouring countries, and had shown that Jews were the best workers in the Near East.

PALESTINE SOLIDARITY CAMPAIGN

In the Palestine Solidarity Campaign of the J.N.F., the Edgware J.N.F. Commission, who have pledged themselves to redeem 1,000 dunams, have raised in little more than a week in cash and promises £2,380 towards the founding of Nachlat Edgware.

The Rev. B. Cherrick addressed a meeting of the West Ham Commission, who as a result undertook to redeem 30 dunams of land.

A recent meeting of residents of Richmond and district, held at the Richmond Synagogue Hall, and addressed by the Rev. B. Cherrick, pledged itself to support the work of the campaign, and a temporary J.N.F. Commission was elected.

The area already redeemed through the Palestine Solidarity Campaign is 3,162 dunams.

Land of Israel News

"DAY OF RUSSIA"

Victory League Conference

Four hundred delegates from all over the country were present at the impressive opening of the Palestine Conference for Aid to Russia, convened in Jerusalem on Monday by the Victory League. A special delegation of the Russian Embassy in Ankara, consisting of the First Secretary of the Embassy, M. Michailovitch, and the Press Attaché, M. Petrenko, were among the official guests.

The opening address was delivered by Mr. Shlomo Kaplansky, Principal of the Hebrew Technical College in Haifa, who stressed the solidarity of the Yishuv with Russia in her fight against the invader, and called for the utmost support of Russia's war effort.

At a press conference preceding the meeting, the aims and purposes of the Victory League were outlined by the Secretary of the conference, who described the League as a "non-partisan organisation open to all regardless of race, religion, and political opinion." It was based on the Zionist conception and aimed at a rapprochement between the Yishuv and Russia. The League wanted to assist Russia in her heroic struggle against Fascism.

On their way from Haifa to Tel-Aviv, the members of the Soviet delegation visited the first Palestinian "kolkhoz," Kibbutz Maabarot, the development of which was described to them by its members. After lunch, they addressed the assembled settlers. M. Petrenko concluded his speech with the Hebrew words "Shalom, chaverim." On their arrival in Tel-Aviv, the delegates visited the headquarters of the Histadrut, and they later attended a concert by the Palestine Symphony Orchestra.

PRIVATE MOTORING TO CEASE

Motor traffic in Palestine will be restricted to essential war services as from September 15, it was officially announced in Jerusalem on Sunday. Licences for all private motor-vehicles, except for those important for war services or the protection of the life of the civil population, will be cancelled on that date.

Haifa had a short alert on Sunday, when several enemy 'planes flew over the city. They were driven off by anti-aircraft fire. There were no incidents.

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ARAB DISTRICT OFFICER'S ADVICE

"Learn From the Jews"

Arab guests at a new Jewish settlement were advised by an Arab District Officer not to content themselves with merely exchanging calls with their Jewish neighbours, but to study their agricultural methods, reports the Jewish Telegraphic Agency. "Do not be content with lunching with your Jewish friends, if you desire progress," he told them, "ask your Jewish friends how they drill wells, and learn from them."

The occasion was the establishment of Doroth, a new settlement in the South of Palestine. Sheikhs and Mukhtars from neighbouring villages and settlers from other co-operative settlements joined in a festive lunch to mark the occasion, the District Officer, Aref Effendi el Aref, taking the chair.

Among the speakers who congratulated the new settlement was the Sheikh of the neighbouring Atanna tribe, who observed that the expansion of Jewish settlement in the region would bring hope for greater progress for the Arabs.

Jewish and Arabic farmers in the Huleh region have planted 44½ tons of rice, promising a yield of 2,000 tons. This is the first year that farmers in the Huleh district have planted such large quantities. The authorities have sponsored the scheme.

RECRUITS' INTELLIGENCE AND EFFICIENCY

The intelligence, efficiency, and steadfastness of new Jewish recruits and members of the Auxiliary Territorial Service were highly praised by the Commander of the largest recruiting and training depot in the Middle East last week, when a group of Jewish and Arab journalists visited the depot on the invitation of the British Chief Recruiting Officer.

At the depot, which is situated "somewhere in Palestine," the journalists were given the opportunity of seeing soldiers and members of the A.T.S. "in the making." There were groups in every stage of training, from newly arrived civilians to those ready to take up duties at the battle front or at other posts. One group of soldiers was undergoing wall-climbing exercises, and the officer supervising the training humorously observed: "The day will come when we shall need wall-climbing to force the walls surrounding Berchtesgaden."

N.Z.O. TO SHARE IN RECRUITING FUND

An agreement has been reached with the Jewish Agency in Jerusalem, it is reported, for the cost of the maintenance of the recruiting offices of the New Zionist Organisation, besides those of the Agency, to be covered out of a general recruiting fund raised from the Yishuv. In addition, the allowances for the families of soldiers, who are members of the N.Z.O., are in future to be paid out of the same fund on equal terms with other Jewish soldiers. (These allowances supplement the inadequate allowances made by the authorities.)

HOME FOR SOLDIERS' CHILDREN

The formal opening took place recently at Kfar Yechezkiel of a home for children of Jewish soldiers. The home is situated in a pleasant Keren Hayesod village in the Plain of Esdraelon and is intended to house children whose fathers are in the Armed Forces and whose mothers, unable to live on the allowances granted to them, have been compelled to go to work.

MEDICAL ADVISER FOR ABYSSINIA

Dr. A. Schalit, a Jerusalem physician, son of Dr. Theodor Herzl's secretary (writes our Jerusalem correspondent), has been appointed Medical Adviser to the Ethiopian Government and is shortly leaving for Addis Ababa, Abyssinia. Only a short while ago, Mr. Nathan Marein, a Jerusalem advocate, who had represented Abyssinian legal interests in Palestine after the Emperor Hailé Selassié's exile in 1936, left for Ethiopia to take up the post of Legal Adviser.

"BOMBS FOR SABBATH DESECRATORS"

The Agudas Israel Organisation of Great Britain reports that a cable of inquiry was sent to Chief Rabbi Herzog in Jerusalem with reference to a recent news agency account of the explosion of two bombs on a Saturday night outside two Jerusalem cinemas, when the allegation was made that the bombs might have been placed by members of the extremist section of orthodox Jewry who are at present conducting a bitter fight against the desecration of the Sabbath.

Dr. Herzog cabled in reply: "Regarding harmless explosions outside cinemas late Saturday night, Chief Rabbinate together with Sabbath Observance Organisation, backed by the overwhelming majority of the Jerusalem Community, have been endeavouring their utmost to prevent recent Sabbath desecrations Jewish cinemas. We would never countenance violence. There is no clue whatever in regard to the perpetrators. It is most likely provocation."

Loans totalling £P.28,000 have been granted by the Palestine Government to Jewish citrus-growers in colonies in the neighbourhood of Tel-Aviv. The loans, intended to diversify agricultural production, range from £P.25 to £P.40 for repayment in five years. They are being used for the establishment of dairy farms and for poultry-breeding.

The first "Jewish Soldiers' Theatre" has been opened at a military camp "somewhere in Palestine." The theatre has been established by Mr. Zvi Friedland, a prominent member of the Habimah Troupe, who joined the Forces as a volunteer six months ago. The company includes over twenty actors, most of whom are former pupils of the Habimah Studio.

VOLUNTEERS' PRIVILEGE

Exempt from Immigration Ordinance

Members of the British Forces who voluntarily enlisted in Palestine will not be required, after being discharged from the service, to be in possession of valid immigration certificates in compliance with the provisions of the Immigration Ordinance, according to which persons wishing to enter Palestine must have permits.

This exemption, which was announced by the High Commissioner in the Official Gazette last week, also includes the wives and children under 18 years of discharged soldiers.

SYRIANS AND PALESTINIAN LAND

Question of Taxation

Syrian landlords owning land on the Palestinian side of the frontier have submitted representations to the Syrian Ministry of Finance against the decision of the Palestine Government to impose taxes on their property, reports the Jewish Telegraphic Agency. They contend that Article 4 of the Bon Voisinage Treaty of 1923 between the two countries exempts from taxation lands owned by Syrians over the frontier, and that Palestinian owners of land over the Syrian border are treated on a reciprocal basis.

Jewish settlers in the border colonies, such as Metula, own considerable stretches of land on the Syrian side of the frontier.

PALESTINE JEWS' GIFT TO RUSSIA

Histadrut Collects £10,000

Palestine Jewish Labour has collected £10,000 to assist Russia's war effort, announced the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee in Kuibyshev on Sunday.

The formal presentation of Palestine Labour's gift was made in London on Wednesday this week, when a cheque for £10,000 was handed to M. Ivan Maisky, the Soviet Ambassador, by Mr. Berl Locker on behalf of the General Federation of Jewish Labour (Histadrut Haovdim) in Palestine.

SOCIAL CENTRE FOR THE FORCES

From Mesdames J. BLOCH and J. SCHWAB
(Joint Chairmen)

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Mr. Sidney Charkham's reproach in your last week's issue, to the London Jewish Community, for their alleged inhospitality to troops from overseas stationed in or near London, is evidently due to a lack of knowledge of the real facts. An assiduous reader of your journal during the past few months would have seen the many communications that you were kind enough to insert concerning the Jewish Social Centre for the Forces which has been in existence at Woburn House for many months past.

In one of our earlier communications to you we explained that we were deliberately commencing this Centre in a modest manner until its necessity had been gauged.

Since the inauguration of the Centre, social gatherings have taken place at Woburn House nearly every Sunday, and at private houses on frequent occasions. Furthermore the advice, hospitality, and other facilities that we have been able to arrange through the Centre (which has been open daily through this whole period), have been greatly appreciated not only by the members of the Forces themselves, but also by the Jewish Chaplains of the Free French, Dutch, Canadian, American, and other Welfare Officers of the United Nations.

Our Committee had decided definitely some time ago, to acquire suitable accommodation where there would be a kasher kitchen, reading and rest rooms, sleeping accommodation, etc. There has been considerable difficulty in finding suitable premises but Mr. Charkham and other readers will be interested to learn that a house in the West End of London has now been acquired, and we are doing all we can to have the place ready in time for the Holy-days.

Of course it will be necessary at this stage to appeal to the community for funds, which would have been premature before premises had been obtained, but now that we are making some progress we shall gladly welcome any assistance in this direction from Mr. Charkham and other members of the community who feel as he does on a matter that has given our Committee much concern for some considerable time.

We are, &c.,
TINA BLOCH
ANNA SCHWAB

Woburn House,
Upper Woburn Place, W.C.1.

Anglo-American Committee for a Jewish Army

INFORMATION DEPARTMENT

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Palestine and Stateless Jews should communicate immediately with the inquiry office as above.

N.B.—Please draw the attention of any of your friends who may be interested to this notice.

Imperial and Foreign

POGROM CHARGE AGAINST GOEBBELS

"Personally Supervised Lodz Massacre"

The Emes Publishing Company in Moscow has published a book consisting of a collection of evidence of the atrocities in Poland by people who have actually witnessed or experienced them. The book indicts Goebbels as having personally supervised a massacre of many thousands of Jews in Lodz during a visit to the city. The book contains valuable material for the post-war indictment of the Nazi chiefs.

In accordanse with the Nazi decision to make Lodz and the zone of Poland annexed to the Third Reich "judenrein,' the deportation of Jews from Lodz ghetto to Nazi-occupied Russia has already begun. The first batch of deportees numbered 10,000, and they were drafted into forced labour units. Further deportations are being arranged.

VATICAN'S PROTEST AGAINST MASSACRES

"Interference," Says Berlin

It is reported in Geneva that the Vatican has received requests from 145 Catholic organisations in Latin America and in Europe, including some in Italy also, to intervene in Berlin against the Nazi massacres of Jews. It is added that the Papal Nuncio in Germany has already made representations to the Nazi Government on the matter. The Nazis, ignoring the Vatican's protest, have let it be known that they do not desire intervention in "internal" German policy.

A deputation from the British Labour Party and Trades Union Congress this week called on Mr. Eden and handed him their recently adopted resolution on the subject of German atrocities. The resolution asked for an assurance that those responsible for atrocities would be brought to justice. Mr. Eden recalled the Prime Minister's statement on the subject and said the Government was in full sympathy with the spirit of the resolution. Later, the deputation left a copy of the resolution with Mr. Winant, the American Ambassador.

Messages condemning the atrocities committed against Jews in Europe and expressing sympathy with the victims were received by the Synagogue Council of America from many U.S.A. religious leaders. "Our profound sympathy goes out to the Jewish people for the terrible slaughter of so many thousands of their race by the savagery of the Nazis," writes the Most Rev. Edwin V. O'Hara, Bishop of Kansas City. The Most Rev. Robert E. Lucey, Archbishop of San Antonio, called the persecutions the worst that the world has seen since imperial Rome tried to stamp out the early Christians.

President Roosevelt's announcement last week, expressing the wish of the United States Government that due punishment should be meted out at the end of the war to all those guilty of crimes against the civilian population of occupied countries, has been warmly welcomed in official Allied circles.

ITALIAN PRO-JEWS

A Problem for the Duce

The mass purge of the Fascist Party made recently by Mussolini constitutes another victory for the extremist Jew-baiters, headed by Farinacci. Among the excluded Fascists are many who have wives of Jewish origin and close relatives married to persons of Jewish origin, and many others who had been repeatedly accused by Farinacci and his associates of sabotaging the Jew-laws and showing their sympathy with the Jews.

Farinacci has organised a propaganda tour throughout the country to demand the immediate creation of ghettoes for Italian Jews. The establishment of ghettoes, he insists at his meetings, is the only way of counteracting the Jewish menace and segregating them from their non-Jewish supporters.

The growing opposition of the younger Italian Fascists to the Nazi domination of Italy has led to a revolt against Farinacci's anti-Jewish campaign, and to the Jew-laws generally, which they regard as another sign of Mussolini's capitulation to Berlin. Mussolini and Farinacci are now busy purging the Fascist Party of the pro-Jewish elements, but this has not prevented the young Fascists in Padua from staging a remarkable pro-Jewish demonstration. A number of them, including some who hold prominent positions, organised a car parade through the streets and demonstratively sat in the cars side by side and arm-in-arm with noted local Jews. Whereas the Jew-baiters raged against the demonstration and threatened its organisers with severe punishment, the Italian man-in-the-street expressed keen amusement.

The Italian Fascists have produced a film showing the destruction of the Jewish State in Palestine by Titus. The film is to be used for anti-Jewish propaganda purposes in Italy and in Germany.

CAVE-MEN

The Slovak police have found nearly 200 Slovak Jews from the townships of Poprad and Kesmark, and other places living in two large caves in the Tatra mountains, near Lomnitza. The Jews had fled there to escape deportation to Poland. They brought with them some of their furniture and belongings, and also twelve Scrolls of the Law, for they not only arranged their homes in the caves, but also a Synagogue. Some of them spent their time in the caves in praying and studying the Talmud. A number of pro-Jewish Slovak peasants supplied the cave-dwellers with food.

The authorities immediately arrested the peasants for assisting the Jews and not giving information about their presence. The Jews themselves have been deported to Polish ghettoes.

ULTIMATUM TO DUTCH JEWS

Forced Labour or "Death Camp"

An ultimatum to the Jews in Holland to register for work in Germany within 48 hours was handed over to the Jewish Council in Amsterdam on August 7, according to information reaching Stockholm.

The Jewish Council was ordered by the Gestapo to issue a warning that Jews who did not immediately obey the summons would be arrested and taken to the notorious "death camp" of Mauthausen, in Upper Austria, where many Jews have been murdered by poison gas. The same penalty was to be imposed on Jews caught not wearing the yellow Star of David, or changing their domicile, even temporarily, without permission.

The Dutch Nazi press violently attacks doctors who have been giving Jews medical certificates intended to exempt them from forced labour. The Nazis accuse the doctors of being "saboteurs" of the anti-Jewish measures, and urge that they should be sent to the same place as the Jews.

Apparently in connection with the financing of the deportation of Jews from Holland, a reminder has been published in the Dutch press of employers' obligation to report earnings of Jewish employees to the Lippman Rosenthal and Company Bank, which holds the blocked accounts of Jews. Attention is drawn to the fact that employers are allowed to pay out to Jewish employees wages, labour pensions, or unemployment relief only to a maximum of 250 guilders a month. If an employer employs several Jews belonging to the same family, he is still allowed to pay out to them a joint total of 250 guilders a month only. Any balance of wages must be transferred to the bank.

DUTCH JEWISH FUGITIVES IN SWITZERLAND

Will They Be Sent Back?

Following an order by the Swiss police barring the entry of further refugees from Belgium and Holland, and providing for the expulsion of refugees who arrived in Switzerland after August 11, representatives of the Jewish Central Committee have pointed out to the Chief of Police that the sending back of these refugees, who had fled their countries because they feared they would be taken as hostages or deported to Eastern Europe, would expose them to the worst reprisals.

The Chief of the Federal Police, while expressing sympathy with the refugees and promising to consider the plea, said that measures had to be taken to stem the growing influx of refugees in view of the food situation of the country. The Swiss authorities were determined to maintain the right of asylum, but it was to be established whether the refugees in question could be regarded as political refugees in the legal sense of the term.

The BASLER NATIONAL ZEITUNG and other progressive papers appeal to the Government to grant hospitality to the refugees, whose maintenance, they claim, could be guaranteed through an arrangement with the Allied Governments.

According to later press reports, the Swiss Government has now agreed to modify its ban on refugees from Nazi-occupied territories. Swiss police have been given instructions, it is stated, that such refugees will not be expelled from Switzerland except for "grave reasons," or unless they prove to be undesirables.

FIFTEEN YEARS FOR AMERICAN NAZI SPY

Jew-Baiter Who Aided Axis

Sentence of 15 years' imprisonment for spying was passed at Hartford, Connecticut, last week, on Gerhard Wilhelm Kunze, former leader of the German-American Bund and "Führer" of the United States Nazis. Kunze, who was using a Mexican name, was arrested in Mexico after he had bought a fishing boat and provisioned it.

Kunze was charged with furnishing information to Germany and Japan and conspiring to obtain information about the U.S. Army and Navy. He is said to have been given $2,800 for travelling expenses by Vonsiatsky, a White Russian Fascist leader who was recently sentenced to five years' imprisonment for spying. Like Kunze, Vonsiatsky was a notorious anti-Semite.

WRECKED NAZI TROOP TRAIN

Eight Jews have been sentenced to death by hanging by a Nazi military tribunal in Bialystok on a charge of having co-operated with Polish peasant guerrillas in blowing up a German troop and ammunition train on its way to the Russian front. Thirty German soldiers were killed.

THE NEW OWNERS

The Rumanian Ministry of the Interior has announced that all Jewish businesses must be finally liquidated by next Tuesday.

Permits have been issued to Rumanians wishing to take over property owned or leased by Jews, so that they can visit the premises between 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. every day. Jewish tenants or owners who hinder the visits of their prospective supplanters will incur penalties for sabotaging the work of Rumanisation, and will be liable to immediate ejectment.

RED AIR FORCE RAIDS WARSAW

Bombs Fall Outside Ghetto Walls

When the Red Air Force bombed Warsaw last week, two of their main objectives were the district of Praga Nowa, with its numerous depots and workshops, and the Citadel area, where a big German garrison is quartered. From both of these areas, Jews were expelled over a year ago when the ghetto was established. Most of the bombs were in the neighbourhood of railway stations. These are all outside the ghetto.

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SERVICES ON THE HIGH HOLY-DAYS

TAKE PLACE AT THE UNDER-MENTIONED SYNAGOGUES AND MEMBERSHIP GROUPS

The Secretary of the Synagogue or Membership Group in your district will be pleased to furnish full information regarding membership, and as to the Religious Services and other congregational activities.

Members of H.M. Forces and Allied Forces will be welcomed and are asked to communicate with the Secretary beforehand if possible.

SYNAGOGUES

GREAT, Duke's Place, Aldgate, E.C.3 (Services at Toynbee Hall) (AVEnue 3241)
NEW, Egerton Road, Stamford Hill, N.16 (STAmford Hill 6003)
BAYSWATER, Chichester Place, Harrow Road, W.2 (CUNningham 1847)
CENTRAL, 36, Hallam Street, W.1 (Services at Adolph Tuck Hall) (LANgham 1355)
BOROUGH, Wansey Street, S.E.17 (RODney 3241)
ST. JOHN'S WOOD, Abbey Road, N.W.8 (MAIda Vale 1229)
EAST LONDON, Rectory Square, E.1 (STEpney Green 1077)
NORTH LONDON, Lofting Road, Barnsbury, N.1 (NORth 2106)
NEW WEST END, St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater Road, W.2 (BAYswater 2631)
DALSTON, 59, Poet's Road, Canonbury, N.5 (CLIssold 6785)

HAMMERSMITH AND WEST KENSINGTON, Brook Green, W.6 (RIVerside 1405)
HAMPSTEAD, Dennington Park Road, N.W.6 (HAMpstead 1518)
HACKNEY, Brenthouse Road, E.9 (AMHurst 4600)
STOKE NEWINGTON, Shacklewell Lane, E.8 (CLIssold 4843)
BRONDESBURY, Chevening Road, N.W.2 (LADbroke 2925)
BRIXTON, Effra Road, S.W.2 (BRIxton 2587)
GOLDERS GREEN, Dunstan Road, N.W.11 (SPEedwell 2460)
CRICKLEWOOD, Walm Lane, N.W.2 (GLAdstone 1739)
HENDON, Raleigh Close, N.W.4 (HENdon 6924)
WILLESDEN, Brondesbury Park (Heathfield Park), N.W.2 (WILlesden 1083)
HAMPSTEAD GARDEN SUBURB, Norrice Lea, N.2 (SPEedwell 8126)

MILE END AND BOW, Harley Grove, E.3 (HENdon 3000)
WEST HAM, Earlham Grove, E.7 (MARyland 3320)
RICHMOND, Sheen Road, Richmond, Surrey (POPesgrove 3451)
UPTON PARK, Tudor Road, E.6
ILFORD, Beehive Lane, Ilford, Essex (VALentine 4964)
EDGWARE, Mowbray Road, Edgware, Middlesex (EDGware 7508)
SOUTH-WEST LONDON, 104, Bolingbroke Grove, S.W.11 (BATtersea 8324)

FINCHLEY, Kinloss Gardens, N.3 (FINchley 2160)
PALMERS GREEN AND SOUTHGATE, Brownlow Road, N.11 (ENTerprise 2379)
DOLLIS HILL AND GLADSTONE PARK, Parkside, N.W.2 (GLAdstone 7172)
EALING AND ACTON, 15, Grange Road, W.5 (EALing 0366)
WEMBLEY, Forty Avenue, Wembley, Middlesex (ARNold 6565)
FINSBURY PARK, Princess Crescent, N.4 (STAmford Hill 2915)

Affiliated and Associate Synagogues

BECONTREE, 200, Becontree Avenue, Becontree, Essex (ROMford 1392)
CATFORD, Catford Hill, S.E.6 (HITher Green 3433)
EAST HAM AND MANOR PARK, Carlyle Road, E.12 (VALentine 1468)
EDMONTON AND TOTTENHAM, 41, Lansdowne Road, N.17
HARROW, KENTON AND DISTRICT, 28, Sheepcote Road, Harrow (HARrow 1359)
HIGHAMS PARK AND CHINGFORD, Marlborough Road, Chingford, E.4 (LARkswood 4625)
HIGHGATE, 88, Archway Road, N.19 (MOUntview 2506)
HORNSEY AND WOOD GREEN, Wightman Road, N.8 (MOUntview 6634)

HOXTON AND SHOREDITCH, 143, New North Road, N.1 (STAmford Hill 1807)
KINGSBURY, Eden Lodge, Kingsbury Green, N.W.9
REGENT'S PARK AND BELSIZE PARK, Eton Road, N.W.3
SANDY'S ROW, Sandy's Row, Bishopsgate, E.1 (HENdon 2819)
SOUTH-EAST LONDON, 117, Lewisham Way, New Cross, S.E.14 (Services at New Cross Palais) (TIDeway 1927)
SOUTH TOTTENHAM, Crowland Road, N.15 (STAmford Hill 3729)
VICTORIA AND CHELSEA, Smith Terrace, Smith Street, S.W.3 (FLAxman 6343)
WALTHAMSTOW AND LEYTON, Boundary Road, E.17 (LEYtonstone 1711)

MEMBERSHIP GROUPS

	High Holy-day Services	Enquiries
AMERSHAM	Woodside Hall, Woodside Road ..	The Rev. Dr. I. Rapaport, "Beechwood," Copperkins Lane, Chesham Bois ('Phone Amersham 1273) or at Woodside Hall (Sundays 2 to 4 p.m.)
BEACONSFIELD	Girl Guides' Hall (opposite Burnham Hall), Old Town, Beaconsfield ..	A. Essex, Esq., "St. Anne's," Baring Road ('Phone Beaconsfield 1211)
BERKHAMSTED	Town Hall, Berkhamsted.	Rabbi M. Katz, "Savona," Shooters Way Lane
CHELTENHAM	The Synagogue, St. James's Square (and Overflow Service)	The Rev. J. Ferber, 11, Evesham Road
DUNSTABLE	Mission Hall, Union Street, High Street, N.	The Rev. L. Blumenthal, 238, Luton Road, Dunstable, Beds.
GERRARDS CROSS	Girl Guides' Hut, Station Road (Rosh Hashana) Methodist Hall, Oak End Way (Yom Kippur)	L. J. Hill, Esq., "Sulham Dene," Hillrise, Chalfont St. Peter
DENHAM	2, Broadway East, nr. Denham Studios, Denham Station	M. Godins, Esq., 23, Greentiles, Denham
GUILDFORD	Ayers Hall, Bury Street (off High Street)	The Rev. S. Clayman, B.A., 66, Sydenham Road ('Phone Guildford 2717)
HEMEL HEMPSTEAD	Methodist Hall, Two Waters, Hemel Hempstead	The Rev. J. Posen, 69, Puller Road, Boxmoor
HIGH WYCOMBE	Methodist Hall, White Hart Street	Miss D. Beverley, c/o Feldmans, 72, Easton Street ('Phone High Wycombe 1174) (Sundays 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4 p.m.; Tuesdays 6 to 7.30 p.m.)
KETTERING	Town Band Club, Rockingham Road	W. Neier, Esq., 21, The Grove
MACCLESFIELD	62, Chestergate, Macclesfield	I. Jackson, Esq., 253, Chester Road, or at 62, Chestergate, Macclesfield
RICKMANSWORTH & CROXLEY GREEN	Oddfellows Hall (off Parsonage Road). Eve Rosh Hashana at Old School House, adjoining Methodist Chapel, High Street	The Rev. Maurice Brody, 1, Nightingale Road, or D. Marks, Esq., 72, Frankland Road, Croxley Green
ST. ALBANS	Town Hall, St. Albans	The Rev. M. Landy, 54, Clarence Road ('Phone St. Albans 4872)
SLOUGH	The Institute, Herschel Street (off High Street) (Friday evening Service at Halidon House, Mackenzie Street	A. Lawrence, Esq., 26, Burlington Avenue
STAINES AND EGHAM	Town Hall, Staines. (Evening Services Rosh Hashana at the Jewish Institute, 2/4 High Street) Services also at Egham	M. Sekonofsky, Esq., 6, Thames Street or L. Gerstein, Esq., 1, Avenue Road (evenings)
TILEHURST	Bowling Green Pavilion, Wardle Avenue	135, Thirlmere Avenue, or by post to The Rev. J. Wolf, "St. John's," Shinfield Road, Shinfield, Reading
TORQUAY	Unitarian Hall, Unity Church (off Higher Terrace)	The Rev. S. Marcovitch, B.A., 186, Union Street ('Phone Torquay 2962)
PAIGNTON	Masonic Hall, Paignton.	
WELWYN GARDEN CITY	Handside School, Applecroft Road (Rosh Hashana) St. Francis Hall, Church Road (Kol Nidre) Presbyterian Hall, Parkway (Yom Kippur)	The Rev. Dr. D. Lewin, 13, Woodhall Court
WINDSOR	Baptist Hall, Peascod Street (entrance Russell Street)	J. Adelman, Esq., 7, Hazlemere Road, or Communal Centre, Thames Hotel (Sundays)
WOKING	Atalanta Hall, Commercial Road ..	W. Harris, Esq., "Swinderby," Coley Avenue
WOLVERTON	New Bradwell School, St. James' Street	A. Gould, Esq., 4, Brookfield Road, Haversham
WORCESTER	Friends Meeting House, Sansome Walk	J. Zuck, Esq., 11, High Street, or E. Neumann, Esq., 15, Droitwich Road ('Phone Worcester 2519)

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THE NATION AT PRAYER

THE DAY OF PRAYER to which the King has once again summoned the nation is marked by a wise departure from previous practice. The date selected—the third anniversary of the outbreak of the war—is an ordinary day of the week, and not, as hitherto, a Sunday. The change accentuates the spiritual significance of the occasion, for the prayers for Divine help and guidance are not intended to be part of a normal and customary religious service. Instead, the people are to be withdrawn abruptly from their daily tasks and preoccupations, and brought face to face with their Maker. In no more thrilling way could the dominance of God and our reliance upon Him be brought home to men's minds; and these are considerations never more vital than at this hour of supreme human crisis. There are shallow unbelievers and cynics in all walks of life, not excluding our own Community, who may doubt the value of these religious gatherings, and especially the value and the efficacy of prayer. Let them consider for one moment the very opposite opinion which is held by some of the deepest and finest thinkers, who realise all that prayer has accomplished, what it means to troubled souls, and in particular the comfort, the refreshment of spirit, and the fortification of the will that come of communion with the ultimate Arbiter of our destinies. It is to be hoped, therefore, that on Thursday next the Day of Prayer will be widely and fervently observed by all sections and not least, of course, by Jews. Let us bring our appeal and our just cause to the Divine tribunal and there humbly seek its blessing.

Three years of war have nearly passed, and to-day there is a general feeling that we are approaching hours of decision. Looking back on what has gone, at all the manifold dangers and sufferings, the searching tests of our devotion and courage, is there any but a tiny minority among us, mischievous or misguided, who could wish that we had shirked the tremendous issue and preferred an inglorious peace—the cowardly peace of the suicide's grave—rather than a bold acceptance of the brutal challenge flung at us from the German underworld? Two things, surely, have forced themselves overwhelmingly upon us as the bitter struggle has proceeded. The first is the boundless ambitions which have moved the new-old tyrannies. The second is the ruthlessness with which their aims have been pursued, and their complete setting at defiance of everything that is good and honourable in human existence. They are seen, adapting words spoken by an illustrious statesman about a different set of circumstances, to be "marching through bloodshed and rapine" not to the "dismemberment of the Empire," but to the dismemberment and overthrow of civilisation itself, the denial of God, and the enslavement of man. And so, as the days have worn on, the quarrel has been seen ever more clearly as one not merely for physical but also for spiritual survival.

These facts have sternly and irrevocably dictated our future course. They mean that there can be no compromise. To quote a favourite saying of the wretched Hitler himself, *entweder oder*. Either we are for the Kingdom of God or for blackest hell. And the war must go on until that, the real issue, is for ever decided. The arch-savage, Hitler, and his myrmidons brag—perhaps to-day not so stridently as in the past—that the Nazi regime has come to stay for a thousand years. If that prospect of prolonged and darkest night were true, life would be robbed of all meaning. But Hitler, like so many aspiring superficial tyrants before him, drunk with the momentary success of force, has forgotten the lessons of history. Antiochus, Attila, and others of their like, made similar miscalculations. One outstanding aggressor—Napoleon—lived on to learn the truth: "In war," he realised, "the moral is to the physical factor as three to one." And thus, under God's Providence, it will be in this latest struggle. Expecting miracles? it will be asked. Maybe; but then miracles are really more plentiful than we believe. The workings and strivings of the human spirit are in themselves a miracle, reflections of the Godhead. The fact that Britain stands erect and formidable, after three years mostly of unarmed or half-armed defiance, is a miracle. Dunkirk and the recovery that followed it were miracles. The enemy's failure to take crushing advantage of the situation was a miracle; the German attack on Russia was surely a miracle—of blind folly. Yes, miracles have been and are all around us. We shall not be forsaken in the future, provided always that our hearts remain sound, our faith in God unshaken, our determination to fight always in His cause unswerving, our courage steadfast, and our wills undaunted and unsubdued. Even now, as every objective study of the trend of events reveals, the tide is turning—slowly, slowly—to final victory.

We will hold on in ever strengthening faith. For Jews that may seem to call for exceptional, almost supernatural, reserves of fortitude. European Jewry has been devastated. Jews have the cruel distinction of having suffered the third largest number of casualties. The Jewish people have bled, and are bleeding, at a million pores. And their very souls have been trampled upon by all the fiendish devices known to the Devil and his disciples. But they know, too, that *their* survival from a tragic past is a miracle. They know, above all else, that this fight in which the nations are locked is a fight for all the religious and ethical values they have proclaimed in God's commands to men and which, in turn, have given them their primacy in the spiritual world. That is a truth they cannot and will not evade.

THE ROYAL BEREAVEMENT

The death, on active service, of H.R.H. the Duke of Kent robs the royal domestic circle of a most lovable member, and British public life of an earnest worker. He had inherited to the full the sense of public duty which distinguishes the House of Windsor, and he brought to his manifold labours all its democratic spirit and its selfless zeal, its passion for social betterment, and, as we Jews especially can with pleasure recall, its broad-minded and constant care for all His Majesty's subjects, irrespective of class or creed. It is these qualities, so steadfastly maintained, that have given the Royal Family the unwavering respect and affection of the King's subjects, and it is upon the solid bases they offer that the domestic peace of the country and the security of its institutions largely and firmly rest. To the King, to Queen Mary, to the bereaved Duchess and her little ones, and to others of the Royal House the deepest sympathy goes out of all in these islands in the heavy loss they have sustained.

RIVALS OR COMRADES?

On page 5 of this issue, in a letter marked by a wholesome spirit of courageous candour, Captain Jeremiah Helpern, the representative in Britain of the American Committee for a Jewish Army, disposes of one mistake which has hampered the discussion of the Army plan. The Committee, he states categorically, though not for the first time, is a non-partisan body, and has no political axe to grind. In its membership are to be found Jews and non-Jews, Zionists, non-Zionists, and anti-Zionists. What unites them is the conviction that Jews not liable for military service in the countries of their domicile should be given an opportunity to fight against Hitler as Jews. In other words, they should enjoy the same opportunity as that which has been given to the Free French, the Free Poles, and others. "We have decided not to enter into any political discussions, pro-Arab or pro-Jewish, pro-Zionist or anti-Zionist, because the most important thing for us at this moment is not the post-war political aspect, but the military aim of winning this war against our arch-enemy."

WARNING TO MISCHIEF-MAKERS

The trouble is that, from causes already pointed out here, political discussions, which go far beyond and outside the Jewish Army project, *have been* imported into the controversy. And some misguided people, obsessed with a crazy partisan spirit, have sought to make mischief by whispering that antagonism exists between Zionism and the aims of the Committee. If this has been done in ignorance, it is wickedly foolish, and if deliberately, foolishly wicked. The movement for a Jewish Army is a temporary step, limited rigidly to present war exigencies. Zionists, if sincere, must support this project if they would also be consistent, for the establishment of a Jewish Army for all Jews available everywhere is also deeply concerned with the self-respect, the spiritual health, of the Jewish people everywhere. It is directed to the saving not merely of the Jewish body, but the Jewish soul. There is no rivalry between the movement for the permanent Jewish national re-establishment and the temporary urgent necessity for the establishment of a Jewish Army. They are not mutually exclusive, but mutually complementary, and it is only pique, morbid fear of loss of prestige, or sheer mental obfuscation that could set them in rivalry. This fight for a Jewish Army will and must go on. It is an urgent factor in winning the war; it is a weapon both for the moral and physical armoury which, for the sake of the Allied Cause, which is also the Jewish cause, must be fashioned and quickly. The sooner the effort is allowed to proceed on intelligent lines the sooner will come a successful issue to the struggle, with benefit alike to Jew, non-Jew, and the sacred cause we all have at heart. Those who in narrowness or jealousy seek to obstruct it are injuring both the Zionist cause which they may think they are helping, and the Allied cause, on which everything depends.

LONDON CENTRE FOR TROOPS

The problem of providing adequate hospitality for Jewish troops in London has been the subject of a good deal of discussion and even complaint for many months past. Requirements in this respect have been met to a limited extent by the Jewish Social Centre which has been run under the auspices of the Jewish War-Services Committee at Woburn House, and all credit is due to the ladies who have devoted themselves to this work. The problem, however, has grown very considerably with the advent of vast contingents of troops from overseas, principally from America, amongst whom there are, of course, a considerable number of Jews. Quite properly, the American and Canadian Communities have expressed themselves as willing and anxious to provide the necessary funds for the establishment of a full-fledged, completely equipped London Centre for Jewish Troops, comparable with similar centres set up by other denominations and like them open to troops of all faiths. All they ask is that Anglo-Jewry shall administer the centre.

A GRAVE RESPONSIBILITY

Under the stimulus of this offer, no doubt—though in that case the reference to an appeal is difficult to understand—the ladies of the Jewish Social Centre have, according to a letter to be found on page 6, acquired a house in the West End and are setting about equipping it. Now the success of this centre is obviously a matter of very considerable importance. Its potentialities for good are great. But, dealing as it will have to do with troops, a large proportion of whom are strangers to these shores, the running of it and the policy pursued by the Committee responsible must be controlled by those whose experience and outlook permit of that camaraderie and understanding which can only exist among men who have had actual Service experience. This is a vitally important matter if the centre is to be a benefit and not a bane. No one needs reminding of the gravity which both Governments attach to the matter of relations between the two peoples in the great Anglo-American comradeship, of which the centre will present a microcosm. It is with these things in mind that the reconstitution of the responsible committee is very strongly urged, so that it be composed of ex-Service members, of men who are ex-officers or ex-other-ranks, assisted by one or two representatives of our principal Anglo-Jewish institutions. The ladies of the present Committee, whose past work in the smaller sphere has been so creditable, would be able to provide invaluable assistance functioning as a sub-committee to deal with those particular tasks of a social nature for which they are pre-eminently fitted. That they are big enough in spirit to appreciate the new situation we are unwilling to doubt.

THE HEBREW BIBLE

Under the title "In God's Eyes: The Old Testament To-day," the sermon of the week in last Saturday's *Times* had some wise and plain things to say about the place of the Hebrew Scriptures in religious life. Unlike those who belittle and deride the Old Testament as, at the best, out-of-date tribal legend, the writer lays it down at the outset that "Christianity is a religion not of one Testament but of two." One need do no more than listen in to the broadcast services to realise the truth of this statement, the extent to which these services draw for inspiration on the Prophets and the Psalms, and the basic truth that Christianity is rooted in the vision and the teaching of the Old revelations. The writer of *The Times* sermon deplores the fact that the historical books of the Old Testament tend now to be allowed to fall into a kind of desuetude as though they had no urgent significance for the modern world. He points out that "these books show us human nature as it is in its manifold relationships, both public and private, under the eyes of God." "Here human nature is portrayed with unique power in the most important of all its settings—namely, its relationship to God." There is nothing out of date or irrelevant, he points out, about these ancient stories, and "it is often surprising how these writings of nearly 3,000 years ago ring true to-day." We can watch responsible men in the act of handling these very problems which are our problems to-day, and doing so under God's eyes. The Old Testament, the writer stresses, is the necessary background of the Christian faith and life in every age. Without it the sense of God cannot be maintained or recovered:

> "The glory of the Old Testament is that it presents us with a form of religion which holds fast both by God and by the flesh and blood that we know ourselves to be: and that is the only religion which can speak plainly enough, and on a broad enough scale, to reach right home to our condition."

RELIGION FOR TO-DAY

If there is one criticism to make it is of the failure to give the Mosaic books their due place in religious and ethical doctrine. Not long ago a "wireless" sermon declared the two supreme teachings to be: first, the stirring proclamation of the Law-Giver, "Hear O Israel, the Lord is our God; the Lord is one God," and secondly, the injunction to love our neighbours as ourselves. Yet both of these are drawn from the Pentateuch. In fact, the whole of its social legislation embodies the finest and loftiest, and at the same time the most practically efficient, code of social relationships, and the only pity is that this vast and vital truth is not more generally expounded and stressed. If that were not so, we should not be in the presence of a tendency on the part of some professing Christians to cut the new from the old and in that way to tear up their own particular religion from its roots. It is these tendencies that eventually produce the attitude which, unwilling to admit that the Christian religion is largely derived from Judaism, and confronted with the political challenge of Nazism, escapes with a sort of brutal logic from this embarrassment by throwing over Christianity altogether, and with it God Himself. What priests and theologians have to bring home to the minds and consciences of modern men is that the teachings of Judaism still hold good, are more applicable to-day than ever, and that the Old Testament presents "the only religion which can speak plainly enough, and on a broad enough scale to reach right home to our civilisation." Above all does that duty call to the shepherds of those of the Jewish flock whose straying from this truth is not merely fatal to their own spiritual well-being and a danger to them materially, but a betrayal of their obligations to God and man.

It is only when men get back to the divine code of the Mosaic Law, and to the glorious teachings of the Hebrew Prophets and Psalmists, that they will even begin to see a glimmer of the light shining beyond the dense thicket of doubt, confusion, and unbelief in which they are now entangled.

Social and Personal

MR. EDWARD A. JOSEPH is 75 to-day; **RABBI B. I. COHEN** will be 62 on Sunday; and **RABBI DR. M. HYAMSON**, of New York, will be 80 on Thursday.

THE CHIEF RABBI OF PALESTINE (Dr. Isaac Herzog) and Mrs. Herzog celebrated their Silver Wedding on August 21, 1942 (Ellul 3, 5702).

A DAUGHTER was born on August 20, 1942, at Lorna Lodge Nursing Home, Didsbury, to Rita (née Bauer), wife of Harold Amelan, of 11, Moorside Road, Kersal, Salford, 7.

A DAUGHTER (Sandra Lynne) was born on Friday, August 21, 1942, at the Carlton Nursing Home, Park Road, Southport, to Esther (née Sherr), wife of Woolfe Bednash, of 43a, Park Crescent, Southport.

A SON was born on August 20, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Pizer Frosh (Doris Kremer), of "Oakville," Charlton Road, Charlton, S.E.7.

A DAUGHTER (Valerie) was born on August 24, 1942, at Hayes Crescent Nursing Home, 24, Hayes Crescent, N.W.11, to Patricia (née Isaacs), wife of the Rev. David Kusevitsky, of 9, Holmbush Court, Hendon, N.W.4.

BARMITZVAH

HOWARD DEREK, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Belcher, of "Sans Gene," Abbey Drive, Rhos-on-Sea, North Wales, late of 56, Brondesbury Park, N.W.6, will read a portion of the Law on Saturday, September 5, 1942, at the Comrades Club, Douglas Road, Colwyn Bay. Individual invitations are not being issued.

PAUL, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rubinstein, of "Harlands," Harland Way, Cottingham, E. Yorks, and grandson of the late Mrs. Esther Schottlander, will read Maftir and Haftara on Saturday, September 5, 1942, at the Western Synagogue, Hull.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

SGT.-OBSERVER D. BEHMAN, R.A.F.V.R., AND MISS DONREICH

The engagement is announced of David, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Behman, of 165, King's Cross Road, W.C.1, to Gertrud, only child of Hans and Marianne Donreich, of Vienna, and protégé of Mr. and Mrs. G. Feldman, of 8-9, Barnes High Street, S.W.13.

MR. HARRY COHEN AND MISS PLISKIN

The engagement is announced of Harry Cohen, B.Sc.(Tech.), son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, of 117, Albert Avenue, Sedgley Park, Prestwich, to Frieda, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pliskin, "High Walk," Brooklands Road, Prestwich, Manchester.

MR. B. DALE, R.A.F.V.R., AND L/ACW. BERMAN

The engagement is announced of Bert. ("Teddy"), son of Mrs. Cohen and the late Mr. Cohen, of 120, Mayfield Drive, Caversham, Berks., to Jennie, daughter of Mr. S. Berman and the late Mrs. Berman (of Canning Town, E.16).—167, Hendon Way, London, N.W.2.

SGT. L. GENN, R.A.F.V.R., AND MISS ROSEN

The engagement is announced of Lionel, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Genn, to Dorothy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Rosen, of 82, Amhurst Park, Stamford Hill, London, N.16.

MR. MARK GOLDBERG AND MISS BRILL

The engagement is announced of Mark, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goldberg, of 45, Cavendish Road, Luton, to Marie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brill, of "Grange Close," Grange Avenue, Leagrave, Luton.

MR. ABRAHAM H. GOLDSOBEL AND MISS SHYMAN

The engagement is announced of Abraham, only child of Mr. and Mrs. I. Goldsobel, of 10, Tramway Street, Leeds, to Sadie Marion, only child of Mr. Shyman and the late Mrs. H. Shyman, and granddaughter of Mrs. Vites, of 45, Spencer Place, Leeds.

AIRCRAFTMAN ARNOLD LANDAU, R.A.F.V.R., AND MISS LOWNE

The engagement is announced of Arnold, younger son of Mrs. F. Clark (and the late Mr. Simon Landau), of 11, Brookside Terrace, Sunderland, to Cynthia, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lowne, of 74, Sherrick Green Road, Willesden Green, London, N.W.10.

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L/CPL. GEORGE NATHAN AND MISS NAGLI

The engagement is announced of George, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Nathan, of "Turret Lodge," 40, Castle Avenue, Highams Park, Essex, to Hilary Beryl, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Nagli, of Leighton Gardens, Kensal Rise (now residing at 25, Newark Avenue, Peterborough).

MR. SYDNEY NIEBERG AND MISS KRAVIS

The engagement is announced of Sydney, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Nieberg, of "Margery Hall," 15, Margery Park Road, Forest Gate, to Betty, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kravis, of "Rossam," 82, Filey Avenue, N.16.

MR. STEWART SULKIN AND MISS LEVY

The engagement is announced of Stewart, son of Mr. J. Sulkin, of 55, Heathfield South, Twickenham, and the late Mrs. E. Sulkin, to Peggy, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, of 2, Exeter Mansions, London, N.W.2.

L.AC. B. TEPPER, R.A.F., AND MISS RUSSELL

The engagement is announced of Bert., youngest son of Mr. Woolf Tepper and the late Mrs. Tepper, of 43, Raikes Parade, Blackpool, N., to Rae, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Russell, of 1, North Gill Crescent, Fencehouses, Co. Durham, and 9, Bernard Terrace, Edinburgh.

MR. ALFRED KAYE AND MISS KAHN

The marriage of Alfred, son of Mrs. H. Kosky and the late Mr. Harry Kosky, of 87, Knightsbridge, S.W.1, to Millicent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kahn, of Wellington Court, St. John's Wood, will be solemnised at the New West End Synagogue, St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater, on Tuesday, September 1, 1942, at 1.15 p.m.

MR. GERALD LEVY AND MISS SAMUEL

The marriage of Gerald Levy, M.P.S., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Levy, of Nottingham, late of Hampstead, to Hannah, only daughter of Mrs. R. Samuel and the late Mr. N. Samuel, of 3, Eagle Lodge, Golders Green, and Harrow Road, W., will be solemnised at the Golders Green Synagogue, Dunstan Road, N.W.11, on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 2.15 p.m.

DR. BARRY SPAIN AND MISS BAKER

The marriage of Barry Spain, Ph.D., M.Sc., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Spain, of 58, Abercorn Road, Londonderry, to Sheila, daughter of Mrs. Baker and the late Mr. Philip Baker, of 77, Kenilworth Square, Rathgar, Dublin, will be solemnised at the Greenville Hall Synagogue, Dublin, on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at 3 p.m.

DR. LESLIE WALSH AND MISS KEIDAN

The marriage of Leslie, youngest son of Mrs. Walsh and the late Mr. M. Walsh, of 31, Louis Street, Leeds, to Jenny Keidan, B.Sc., only daughter of Mrs. Keidan and the Mr. N. Keidan, of 53, Ashgrove, Bradford, will be solemnised at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday, September 6, 1942, at the Sundown Café, Bradford.

MARRIAGE

GNR. CHARLES SUPRAN, R.A., AND MISS VERBY

The marriage was solemnised on Friday, August 21, 1942, at Colchester, of Gunner Charles Supran, R.A., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Supran, of 11, Lingwood Road, Clapton Common, E.5, to Sylvia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Verby, of 27, Grosvenor Court Mansions, Marble Arch, W.2, and Malvern Wells.

CALENDAR AND DIARY

Ellul 29 days.
Friday, August 28, to Friday, September 4
(Ellul 15 to Ellul 22)

Friday (Ellul 15), August 28. Sabbath begins at 7.30

Saturday (Ellul 16), August 29. Portion of the Law (Torah) כי תבוא Deuteronomy xxvi. 1 to xxix. 8. Portion of Prophets (Haftara) Isaiah lx. 1-22. [Ethics 3 and 4.]

Sabbath ends (in London) at 8.37

Friday (Ellul 22), September 4. Sabbath begins at 7

BIBLE READERS' UNION

Saturday, August 29 ..	Habakkuk, chapter 2
Week ending Sat., Sept. 5	Habakkuk, chapter 3 Zephaniah, chapters 1-3. Haggai, chapters 1-2. Zechariah, chapter 1.

Particulars can be had from the Bible Readers' Union, Woburn House, Upper Woburn Place, London, W.C.1.

NOTABLE DAYS IN 1942

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Adar	13	..	Fast of Esther ..	Monday	March	2
,,	14	..	Purim	Tuesday	,,	3
Nisan	15	..	Passover, 1st day..	Thursday	April	2
,,	16	..	,, 2nd day..	Friday	,,	3
,,	21	..	,, 7th day..	Wednesday	,,	8
,,	22	..	,, 8th day..	Thursday	,,	9
Iyar	18	..	33rd day of Omer	Tuesday	May	5
Sivan	6	..	Pentecost, 1st day	Friday	,,	22
,,	7	..	,, 2nd day	Saturday	,,	23
Tammuz	17	..	Fast of Tammuz..	Thursday	July	2
Av	9	..	Fast of Av	Thursday	,,	23
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Tishri	1	..	New Year, 1st day	Saturday	Sept.	12
,,	2	..	,, ,, 2nd day	Sunday	,,	13
,,	3	..	Fast of Gedaliah..	Monday	,,	14
,,	10	..	Day of Atonement	Monday	,,	21
,,	15	..	Tabernacles, 1st day	Saturday	,,	26
,,	16	..	,, 2nd day*	Sunday	,,	27
,,	21	..	Hashana Rabba ..	Friday	October	2
,,	22	..	Shemini Atseret ..	Saturday	,,	3
,,	23	..	Simchat Torah ..	Sunday	,,	4
Kislev	25	..	Chanucah	Friday	Dec.	4
Tebeth	10	..	Fast of Tebeth ..	Friday	,,	18

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* The previous day also is observed as Rosh Chodesh.

SILVER WEDDING

SOBEL : RAKUSEN.—On August 28, 1917, in London, the marriage was solemnised of Michael Sobel to Anne Rakusen. Present address, "Bannatyne," Furzefield Road, Beaconsfield, Bucks.

THE tombstone to the memory of Pilot Officer Aubrey A. Horne, R.A.F.V.R., will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, August 30, 1942, at 11.30 a.m.

SERVICES AND PREACHERS

LONDON

TO-MORROW (SABBATH)

New West End, St. Petersburgh Place, W.
The Rev. A. Melinek, B.A. (of Hackney Synagogue)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Hampstead Garden Suburb, Norrice Lea, N.
The Rev. A. Carlebach (of Golders Green Beth Hamedrash)

PROVINCIAL

TO-MORROW (SABBATH)

High Wycombe U.S. Membership Group, Methodist Hall, White Hart Street — Rabbi M. Swift
Letchworth, Howard Hall — Rabbi A. Singer
St. Albans U.S. Membership Group, 54, Clarence Road Children's Address. — The Rev. M. Landy

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

LONDON

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

Anglo-Palestinian Club. "First Mrs. Fraser." Presented by the West Central Dramatic Society, in aid of the Palestinian Jewish Prisoners-of-War Fund, 7.30 p.m. Members 2/6.

Conference of Youth Council, United Jewish Committee, at 11.30 a.m., People's Palace, Mile End Road, E.1. "To answer the appeal of Soviet Jewry, and promote mutual cultural relations." Secretaries of Youth Organisations which have not yet written for delegates' and visitors' tickets can 'phone Langham 3595 for further details. See display advertisement in this issue.

Ealing Y.I., 15, Grange Road, twenty minutes from Marble Arch. You have met Paul Jones, now "Find the Lady" at our Grand Dance. 2/-; visitors 2/6; uniformed Forces free, 6.45 p.m.

Federation of Polish Jews in Great Britain and Ireland. Memorial and General Members' Meeting, 91, Gower Street, W.C.1, 3 p.m. Speakers: Dr. I. Schwarzbart and Dr. J. Maitlis.

Finchley Social Club present a Grand Dance at Kinloss Gardens (opp. Henly's Corner), N.3. Dance to Band from 7 to 11 p.m. Novelties, prizes, etc. Tickets 2/6, including refreshments. Members of H.M. Forces free.

Maccabi, 73, Compayne Gardens, N.W.6. "The Spotlight's on You" (No. 2). Also tennis, rambling, swimming, cricket, football, rowing (mixed), sculling, rugby.

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North London Synagogue Social Society, 72, Lofting Road, N.1. Grand Charity Dance in aid of Norwood Jewish Orphanage. Band, cabaret, refreshments, etc., 6.30 p.m. Tickets at door, 3/6.

U.Y.I.S. Grand Dance. See display advert. on back page.

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

Maccabi. Boxing, badminton, men's P.T., and gym.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

Anglo-Palestinian Club. A.P.C. "Jewish Forum." "Religion in Palestine." Speakers: The Rev. E. F. Einhorn and Mr. Janus Cohen, 8 p.m.

J.N.F. Solidarity Rally for the Palestine Victory Campaign, Town Hall, Stoke Newington, Church Street, N.16 (Library Hall), 7.30 p.m. Speakers: Mr. A. L. Easterman, M.A., LL.B., Mr. Aaron Wright, B.Sc., LL.B. In the Chair: His Worship the Mayor of Stoke Newington (Mr. A. W. Gordon, J.P.)

Maccabi. Judo, wrestling, ladies' keep-fit, water polo, and football and cricket practice.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Anglo-Palestinian Club. Hebrew-speaking Circle. Lecture by Private N. E. Levison on "The Jewish Army," 8 p.m.

Maccabi. Handball, basketball, P.T., gym, swimming, and fencing.

U.Y.I.S. Model Parliament, Woburn House, Tavistock Square. Admission free.

PROVINCIAL

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

CARDIFF
N.Z.O. Public Meeting, Transport Hall, 6 p.m. Chairman: Mr. H. H. Roskin. Principal speaker: Mr. Robert Briscoe, T.D., P.C.

Inquiries regarding all matters for advertisement columns from the Manchester district should be addressed to: Mr. David Bladon, 53, Agecroft Road East, Prestwich. 'Phone: PREstwich 2899.

THE ROLL OF HONOUR

H.M. Forces

Died on Active Service

PRIVATE J. SHULMAN. His home was at 1, Howard Street, Strangeways, Manchester.

Missing

SERGEANT ALFRED A. BEBER, R.A.F. His mother is Mrs. R. Beber, of 11, Windsor Road, Palmers Green, N.13.

PRIVATE DAVID MODERICK, the Essex Regiment, M.E.F. A sister, Miss D. Moderick, lives at 29, Cedra Court, Cazenove Road, London, N.16.

PRIVATE MORRIS SANDLER. His home is at 18, Bellott Street, Cheetham, Manchester.

GUNNER ALFRED MOSS, R.A. He was reported missing in Malaya. His wife lives in Reading, and a brother lives in Highams Park, London. Gunner Moss was a prominent member of the Victoria Boys' Blub, at one time being Vice-Captain. He represented the Club in football and took part in the old J.A.A. representative games. As a runner, he won the A.J.Y. Marathon on several occasions, besides winning other track events, and he was a member of the Club boxing team. Later, he played football for the Old Victorians' Club.

Prisoner of War

PRIVATE L. ROSENBERG. Private Rosenberg, who is a prisoner in Italian hands, lived in Cowper Street, Leeds, and formerly in Cheetham Hill, Manchester.

UNITED STATES FORCES

Killed on Active Service

2ND LIEUT. JEROME M. NOTOWITZ, U.S. Army Air Force. Lieut. Notowitz was killed in an accident. His father is Mr. S. Notowitz, who lives in St. Louis, U.S.A.

Obituary

CHIEF RABBI DR. LANDAU

News of the death of Chief Rabbi Dr. Judah Leo Landau, of Johannesburg, South Africa, was received just as this paper was going to press on Thursday. Dr. Landau was 76.

CAPTAIN A. SAPHIR

Immediately before going to press we were informed of the death at Camberley of Captain Ascher Saphir, of the Fighting French Forces, a member of General de Gaulle's staff.

DR. HEINZ MEYERHOF

A correspondent writes: The death, some time ago, in Canada, of Dr. Heinz L. Meyerhof, has, I think, been insufficiently noticed. By it a very promising career was ended. Dr. Meyerhof was a brilliant research scholar at the Department of Pathology at Cambridge.

He spent his youth in Berlin, began to study medicine there, and when only 18 years old discovered and described a hitherto unknown muscle abnormality at Berlin University. In 1933 he left Germany for Italy where he continued with his studies, supporting himself throughout the whole course by doing commercial drawings for newspapers. In 1936 he entered the Research Department of the Serocological Institute of Milan to take up research on the chemotherapy of spirochetosis, and two months later became collaborator of Prof. Zironi, Director of the Institute and Professor of Bacteriology at the University of Milan. An experimental thesis gained him the M.D. degree in Milan with first-class honours in Medicine and Surgery in 1938. The following year he accepted a call from the Department of Pathology at Cambridge, and did research work also at the Plant Virus Research Station, Cambridge. Dr. Meyerhof published several papers in the Cambridge JOURNAL OF PHYSIOLOGY. He was a keen Zionist.

He was the only son of Mrs. Herta Meyerhof, who survives him. His father was killed during the last war when Heinz was two years old.

MRS. JEANNIE WOLFE (Ayr) was actively interested in the Glasgow Jewish Board of Guardians for many years, giving valuable assistance to her brother, Sir Maurice Bloch, J.P., the Treasurer. She was identified with the Glasgow South Side Ladies' Dorcas Society for over 30 years, for the past twenty of which she was President, and was the leader of the Ayr Jewish Ladies' Section of the W.V.S.

DR. OTTO LANDSBERG (Leicester), aged 77, was a well-known German economist. He was a former Burgomaster of Magdeburg, was Minister of Justice in the Cabinet of Philipp Scheidemann, and was for some time German Minister at Brussels. He came to England in 1939.

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Provincial News

RABBINICAL STUDIES

Appeal Launched in Manchester

Rabbi S. Rabinow, of the Grove Lane Beth Hamedrash, London, was in Manchester last weekend to launch an appeal for a Kolel Harabbonim of Great Britain.

On Sabbath afternoon Rabbi Rabinow delivered a Drasha at the Higher Crumpsall Synagogue. Speaking to a packed congregation, he said that with the destruction of all the great Yeshivot in Europe it had become the privilege of Anglo-Jewry—the only free community of Jews left in Europe—to establish in this country a centre which would continue to produce those Talmudei Chachamim who in the past came to England from the Jewish centres of learning abroad.

This appeal for the establishment of a centre for advanced Rabbinical studies in Great Britain is being conducted in an honorary capacity by Rabbi E. Dessler and Rabbi Kopul Rosen, and it has already met with an encouraging response in the Manchester area.

LINAS HAZEDEK SOCIETY

At the meeting of the Manchester Linas Hazedek Society held recently, with the President, Mr. Eli Fox, in the chair, Mr. D. Friedman reported that 80 inmates in the Park House, Crumpsall, Institution were provided with comforts. The Rev. E. Freilich reported that comforts were provided at the Burnley Institution, and the Rev. A. Segal reported the distribution of comforts at the Ashton Institution.

The Chairman stated that one case had been sent to the Buxton Hospital for treatment and aid was extended to two new cases. He thanked Mr. D. Supprec and Mr. J. Cohen, and the Sydney Frankenburg Branch (British Legion) Entertainment Committee for organising a concert in aid of the Society at the Branch's premises in Queen's Road.

At a meeting of the Tarbut held at 125, Lapwing Lane (the home of Mr. H. M. Lyons), Rabbi S. Gaguine lectured on "The Development of Minhagim." Dr. M. Wallenstein presided.

At the monthly meeting of the Jewish Board of Guardians, with Mr. P. Lazarus in the chair, Major E. C. Q. Henriques, J.P., Vice-President, was elected a Trustee to succeed the late Mr. Nathan Laski. Mr. M. J. Hyman was appointed Hon. Accountant. Mr. J. Mamlock, Treasurer, reported a number of donations.

The officers appointed for the ensuing year for the Manchester Branch of the Jewish Agency for Palestine (Keren Hayesod) are: Messrs. J. Mamlock, Chairman; N. M. Jacobs, Vice-Chairman; M. Jaffe and D. Fraenkel, Joint Treasurers; and M. Mallerman, Hon. Secretary.

On the occasion of their Silver Wedding last week, Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Glancy received a presentation of silver, made by Mr. Lewis Cohen, the President, on behalf of the Higher Crumpsall Hebrew Congregation, Manchester, of which Mr. Glancy is a past President. Mr. Glancy, who was recently elected the Joint Hon. Secretary of the Council of Manchester and Salford Jews, has now been re-elected the Chairman of the Finance Committee of Henshaw's Institution for the Blind.

The Committee of the Manchester Yeshiva recently held a reception to mark the election to the Manchester City Council of Mr. Sydney Needoff, a Vice-President, Rabbi Segal, Principal, Mr. Saul Rosenberg, President, Rabbi H. Goldstein, Mr. Mark Bloom, and Mr. Walter Wolfson, congratulated Mr. Needoff on his election and praised his work for Jewish education in general and for the Yeshiva in particular.

BLACKPOOL—Mrs. M. Shaffer, of Blackpool, has been elected a Vice-President of the Women's International Friendship League.

Miss Queenie Isaacs, of Blackpool, last week took part in a B.B.C. feature, "Brand New," a short variety programme of artists new to the microphone, and was complimented on her performance.

FRESHFIELD—Service men and women, as well as visitors are invited by Mr. M. Rosenblatt, of 3, Montague Road, Freshfield, Lancs., to attend services at his home during the Holy-days.

DAY OF NATIONAL PRAYER, THURSDAY, SEPT. 3. An **Intercession Service** will be held at the **Great Synagogue, Cheetham Hill Road, at 6.45 p.m.** Under auspices of Manchester Great and New Synagogues. **Rabbi Altmann** will preach, assisted by the clergy of both Synagogues.
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GLASGOW ZIONISTS DISSATISFIED

Jewish Army Wanted

The Glasgow Zionist Organisation is to hold a public meeting on September 6 to express dissatisfaction with the Government's decision only to create Jewish infantry battalions of a Palestine Regiment, and to press for the formation of a Jewish Army. This decision was reached at a meeting of the Committee of the Organisation last week, when a discussion took place on the effect of the Government announcement on the defence of Palestine.

Mr. A. Links, Vice-President, who was in the chair, said that while the Government's decision was a step in the right direction, they could not accept any measure that denied them the right to have a Jewish Fighting Force to defend the Jewish National Home.

At a meeting of the Glasgow Shekel Committee last week, Mr. W. Golombok, who presided, stressed the importance of strengthening the membership.

Dr. S. S. Naftalin presided at a meeting of the Glasgow Zionist Auxiliary last week, when it was decided to launch a campaign for new members. The campaign is to begin with a show at which Palestine films will be screened.

Miss N. Hillman, Dr. Naftalin, and Messrs. M. B. Links and J. Brumer were appointed delegates to the Glasgow Jewish National Fund Commission, and Miss B. Rosefield and Mr. H. Silverberg delegates to the Shekel Committee.

HOLY-DAY HOSPITALITY FOR TROOPS

Appeal to Glasgow Community

Arrangements for providing hospitality and accommodation for Service men and women in Glasgow during the Holy-days were discussed at a meeting last week of the Glasgow Jewish War-Services Committee and representatives of the local Synagogues

Mr. George Spilg, who presided, said it would be necessary to make preparations to entertain a large number of men. In addition to members of H.M. Forces, they expected that many men from the Polish, Canadian, and American Forces would come to the city for the Festivals.

Appealing to the community to offer accommodation, the Rev. S. Hooker, C.F., said that the demand upon Glasgow's hospitality would be greater than before because of the fact that units of the Allied Forces were stationed in Scotland.

All the Synagogue representatives indicated their willingness to co-operate in the scheme and to impress on their congregations the necessity for a widespread response to the appeal

JEWS WHO BUY TREFA MEAT

Rabbis Charged With Negligence

Allegations that Glasgow Rabbanim were doing nothing to counteract the practice of Jewish families registering with non-Jewish butchers for their meat were made at a meeting of the Glasgow Board of Shechita last Sunday.

Mr. H. Finestone, Chairman, who presided, said that some time ago it had been brought to their notice that several families were getting their meat from non-Jewish butchers. The Board had communicated with the local Beth Din and the Rabbanim, but no action had been taken.

In the ensuing discussion, several speakers charged the Rabbanim with failing to do their duty by refraining from taking action in such a matter of vital importance. Mr. L. Daets, J.P., suggested that it would be appropriate for the Rabbanim to deal with the question in their sermons during the forthcoming Holy-days.

It was decided to hold a meeting on Sunday next, and to invite the Rabbanim to discuss the question.

Presenting a financial statement for the six months ended June, 1942, Mr. L. Daets, J.P., Treasurer, said that the position was very satisfactory. The income for the period was £1,816, while expenditure totalled £1,686. For the corresponding six months of last year, the income was £1,706, and the expenditure £1,601.

LIVERPOOL YOUTH RALLY

A Youth Rally held recently in Zion House, Liverpool, with Dr. S. Canter in the chair, was addressed by Mr. Gershon Hirsch, of the Jewish Agency, and Mr. S. Lebovitz, Chairman of the Liverpool Jewish Youth Council. The meeting, organised by the Liverpool Youth Council, represented all shades of youth opinion. Mr. Hirsch gave a survey of the Jewish position to-day, and stressed the need for the active participation of Jewish youth in all communal matters, so that they would not lack the necessary knowledge when the time came for them to take over the reins of the community.

Mr. Hirsch also stressed the urgent need for both a Jewish Homeland and a complete Jewish Army.

Mr. Lebovitz called upon the Jewish youth of Liverpool to join the organised ranks and fight for the recognition of the demand for a Jewish State and Army.

Mr. Gershon Hirsch last week addressed the Liverpool Young Zionist Society on "The Policy for Zionist Youth."

TORQUAY FETE FOR WAR PRISONERS' FUND

At a fête arranged by Mr. and Mrs. I. Joseph, at the Villa Borghese, Torquay, in aid of the Prisoners-of-War Fund, £700 was raised in one afternoon. The fête was declared open by Countess Fortescue, President of the County Red Cross. The Mayor of Torquay presided, and Major-General Sir R. Howard Nyse, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., Chairman of the Prisoners-of-War Branch of the Red Cross Society, addressed the gathering. Others attending included Lady Singer, Sir Robert Peel, K.C.M.G., Miss Tweedy, O.B.E., J.P., Major Musgrave, O.B.E., J.P., the Deputy Mayor and Mayoress, and Councillor Mrs. Price. An R.A.F. band was in attendance.

£50,000 RAISED FOR R.A.F. FUND

Result of Leeds Appeal

With a total of more than £50,000, the Leeds appeal on behalf of the R.A.F. Benevolent Fund has closed in organised form, but individual subscriptions will still be welcomed. This was announced at a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor, Alderman Hyman Morris, at the Civic Hall last week to some 60 workers for the appeal who met Lord Riverdale, President of the national fund.

Mr. David Fox, the Hon. Secretary, presented his report, and announced that the £50,000 mark had been passed.

Mr. Mark Labovitch, the Chairman, handed to Lord Riverdale a cheque representing the money in hand.

Lord Riverdale thanked the Lord Mayor and the workers, and mentioned particularly the splendid efforts of Mr. Labovitch. He also paid tribute to the work of Mr. Fox. He said that Leeds was the first big town to embark on this great enterprise, and he was grateful to all concerned for the commendable result.

Proposing a vote of thanks to the Lord Mayor, Alderman G. Brett said he had been wishing he could send a message to the German people from that gathering; he would tell them that they were the guests of the Lord Mayor, who was a Jew, and that the Chairman of the Fund in Leeds, who had done so much towards making the effort such an outstanding success, was also a Jew. "I think," he said, "that such a message would show the Germans the fundamental difference between them and us racially."

LEEDS CHAPTER OF A.Z.A.

Presentation to the Rev. L. Hardman

A farewell reception was held at Brandsby Lodge recently by the Leeds Chapter of A.Z.A. in honour of Adviser the Rev. L. H. Hardman, who was leaving to take up his duties as a Chaplain to H.M. Forces.

Much as they appreciated this great honour paid to Mr. Hardman, said the Chairman (Mr. L. E. Wigoder), yet his departure would be a grievous blow to the A.Z.A. During the four years in which he acted as an Adviser to the Pioneer Chapter, his zealous work and tremendous ability had proved invaluable.

A presentation was made to Mr. Hardman as a token of esteem and admiration.

The Chairman reported that the Chapter had just received the permanent charter from the Supreme Advisory Council in America, making it a fully certified branch of the A.Z.A.

Members of the Chapter are now arranging to supervise the children's services being reintroduced at the New Synagogue every Saturday. Final arrangements have been made and the services are expected to begin in the very near future.

The A.Z.A. now has representatives on the Committees of the Herzl Moser Hospital, the Home for Aged Jews, the Leeds Hebrew Education and Religion Board, the Talmud Torah, the B'nai B'rith, Leeds Representative Council, and the J.N.F. Youth Committee.

A meeting of the full Council of the Leeds T.A.C. was held last week at Brandsby Lodge, when nearly one hundred members attended, to hear the reports of delegates who attended the annual conference in July. Mr. Stross presided.

AMERSHAM COMMUNAL HALL CONSECRATED

Constructed within one month, the new Communal Hall at Woodside Road, Amersham, was consecrated in the presence of over 200 people on Sunday afternoon. Amersham is the first United Synagogue Membership Group in the districts outlying from London to erect a communal hall for use as a temporary Synagogue for its members, who now number over 100. The hall, which cost almost £1,000, is built of prefabricated concrete and will be lined with asbestos sheeting. Its roof is wooden, the floor concrete, and its furniture includes pews borrowed from a bombed Synagogue in South-East London.

The Rev. Dr. I. Rapaport, Minister and Secretary, and the Rev. J. Goldstein, of Stamford Hill, conducted the consecration service.

In the vestibule of the hall, Mr. A. Winer presented a token key on behalf of the Hon. Officers of the Group Committee, to Flying Officer Cyril Brown, who performed the opening ceremony in the absence, through illness, of his father-in-law, Mr. Alex Hirschfeld, Chairman of the Building Committee.

Rabbi Harris Swift, of St. John's Wood Synagogue, gave an informal address.

BIRMINGHAM—The Jewish Representative Council at a meeting held at the home of the Chairman, Mr. Ivan Shortt, passed a resolution welcoming the War Secretary's announcement of increased facilities for Palestinian Jews to serve in the Forces and local defence services but submitting that all physically fit men who offered themselves should be accepted; that all the Jewish police should be equipped and trained; and that at least 25,000 Palestinian Jews could and should be mobilised for the Home Guard. The resolution was sent to the Prime Minister, the Secretary for War, and local M.P.s. The Council has given £50 to the Lord Mayor's National Air Raid Distress Fund.

The "Birmingham Jewish Recorder," of which mention was made last week in this column, is published monthly under the auspices of the Birmingham Jewish Cultural Society It is not the bulletin of the local Jewish Congregation, but it deals with the Community as a whole.

CAMBRIDGE—A children's service is held every Saturday afternoon at the Cambridge Jewish Communal Centre, 35, Hill's Road. The service is followed by an Oneg Shabbat.

Jewish families in Cambridge are asked to accommodate Jewish refugee children over the Holy-days. Those prepared to do so should get in touch with Rabbi B. D. Klien, 4, Kimberley Road.

SOUTH WALES CHILDREN'S OUTING

Guests of Merthyr Congregation

A combined group of Jewish evacuees from Abertillery (Mon.), Brynmawr and Cefn Coed, Merthyr, togther with the refugees at the Cardiff Hostel, were the guests recently of the Merthyr Hebrew Congregation in a day's outing to Pontsan, Glam. A full programme of sports and games was arranged, and prizes were awarded.

Mr. A. Moscovitch, President of the Merthyr Hebrew Congregation, said at the prize-giving that when Mr. A. M. Pinnick, of the Jewish Education Board, approached him with regard to the outing, he and his officers not only agreed, but the Merthyr Ladies' Committee helped and arranged food for a mid-day meal and a tea for all.

Mr. I. Hamilton, Treasurer, gave each child a present.

Mr. Chaim Pearl, the Education Officer and Supervisor at the Cefn Coed Hostel, Miss Miriam Stolenberg, of the Cardiff Hostel, and Mr. Pinnick also spoke.

In the evening, all were the guests at the Cefn Coed Hostel, where a reception and concert were organised by Mr. and Mrs. Chaim Pearl.

COLWYN BAY—A combined meeting of the Congregation, Ladies' Guild, and Young People's Society held recently at the Comrades' Club, Douglas Road, under the auspices of the Literary and Social Society, was addressed by L.Ac. Abe Grabman, an Executive member of the Federation of Zionist Youth, on "The Problems of Jewish Youth." The gathering, over which the Rev. L. Wolfson presided, agreed to change the name of the Society to "The Colwyn Bay Young Zionist Society."

GATESHEAD—The annual meeting of the congregation was held recently with Mr. D. Baddiel, the retiring President, in the chair. Developments during the past year, which were reviewed, included the appointment of Rabbi A. Kohn as headmaster of the Talmud Torah. The following were elected: Messrs. I. Caplan, President; L. Hass, Treasurer; J. Guttentag, Hon. Secretary; and A. M. Bell, and E. Nemeth, Hon. Auditors.

MACCLESFIELD—The Rev. I. Chazen recently addressed the Poynton Adult School on "The Jew in the New World Order."

MAIDENHEAD.—A Hebrew class, open to all Maidenhead children, is being conducted early every Wednesday evening, at "Northfield," Moor Lane, by Miss R. Spivack, under the auspices of the Joint Emergency Committee. Sabbath morning and Festival services for children are being held at "Morycrower," Grenfell Road. Particulars can be obtained from Mr. Simon Joseph, 45, All Saints' Avenue.

NORTHAMPTON—A service held recently for the troops in the soldiers' Canteen and Club, Unity Adult Hall, St. Michael's Road, was attended by a large number of British and American soldiers, among them an American non-Jewish Chaplain who expressed his admiration for the hospitality shown to the Americans. The Rev. H. Bornstein, C.F., read the service. Refreshments were afterwards served, followed by a dance. Jewish members of the Forces are invited to the Canteen, which is open every Thursday from 7 to 10.30 p.m.

SHEFFIELD—The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress and the Mistress Cutler attended a garden fête held last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Pearson, in aid of the R.A.F. Benevolent Fund. The function was organised by Mesdames Pearson, Joseph Newman, Arthur Simmons, P. Ferner, M. Sill, Louis Davison, and Leo Bernstein. In a brief speech, the Lord Mayor conveyed the gratitude of the Fund to their hosts and the organisers, and paid tribute to the public-spiritedness of the Jewish Community. There was a large attendance.

SOUTH SHIELDS—The Rev. M. A. Landau, Minister of the South Shields Hebrew Congregation, recently addressed the Jarrow Methodist Church on "The Jewish Fight in this War." After he had spoken, the meeting stood in silence to honour the memory of the innumerable innocent Jewish men and women massacred recently in Europe.

Mr. Landau also addressed the Harton Methodist Church on "The God-Intoxicated Israel."

STAINES AND EGHAM—The annual meeting of the Staines and Egham Jewish Ladies' Guild was held last week at the Jewish Institute, 2, High Street, Staines. Mrs. Hunter, Chairman of the Staines Comforts Club, gave an address on the great need for woollen comforts for all branches of the Services for the coming winter. The knitting and sewing circles are held on Wednesday afternoons, at 2.30, at the Institute, when new members will be welcomed. The Hon. Officers are Mrs. S. Cowan, Chairman, Mrs. S. Davis, Secretary, and Mrs. S. Moliver, Treasurer.

STRATFORD-ON-AVON — Holy-day services have been arranged by Mr. R. Flatau, of "Avoncliffe," Alveston, Stratford-on-Avon, at the Town Hall, on Saturday, September 12, and Monday, September 21, and at the School, Broad Street, for Kol Nidre on Sunday evening, September 20.

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DUBLIN—The J.N.F. Junior Section has formed a Stamp Collection Committee. The first consignment of more than 20,000 stamps has already been sent to the J.N.F. Stamp Department.

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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES

ORDER ACHEI AMETH

Providing for the Disabled

Addressing a Conference of Lodge Officers of the Order Achei Ameth last week, the Grand President, Bro. J. L. Jacobs, said that the position of the Order had been stabilised and the financial position of the Lodges in a general way had also become stable. The Friendly Society movement in general decided at the outbreak of war to take certain precautionary measures, but this Order had happily been able to amend them in its own case almost before the ink on those measures had dried.

While the cost of death endowment had materially increased throughout the whole movement, the Order had not reduced its death endowment benefits, and they hoped that the war's end would find their reserves encroached upon very little. The Grand President expressed his disappointment at the lackadaisical way in which Lodges had approached the National Savings scheme; it was no answer, he said, to say that members were contributing to savings schemes outside the Order, and he hoped that the scheme would become an important part of Lodges' administration.

The speaker dealt with the Order's various measures to help members who, as aliens, might have been interned (fortunately the need proved very small), members' families in distress through enemy action, serving members and those in Civil Defence, and others directly affected by the war. They were very worried about the position of members who might return from war service incapacitated and who must be reinstated at the point where they left off, and they must make provision for this situation. No one Lodge should be asked to carry the full burden, and a centrally administered fund would have to be provided.

The Grand Treasurer, Bro. M. Townley, said that, speaking generally, the financial transactions of the Order had gone on very smoothly, although there was a lack of appreciation on the part of some Secretaries of the Head Office's difficulties. Bro. Townley drew attention to the rise in death benefit claims since the war began, although in the three years before the war the deaths had shown a progressive decline. He referred also to the Council's decision recently to create a fund, at a very small cost, for the payment of benefit to those serving in the Forces, so that Lodges and serving members would be relieved from paying contributions for death endowment, such members remaining fully in benefit.

The Conference decided to provide the necessary funds for the payment of contributions for members in the Forces to provide death endowment benefit, and to create an Ex-Servicemen's Disablement Benefit Fund.

RABBI DR. I. GOODMAN

Information has reached this country that Rabbi Dr. I. Goodman, the Regional Minister of North and North-East London, who left some months ago to make a tour of the U.S.A., has decided to stay in America and has accepted a post in Cincinnati, Ohio. Dr. Goodman is an American citizen.

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FAMILY WAR SERVICE

Two Groups of Six Sons

Six of the nine sons of Mr. and Mrs. M. Rosenoff, of 42, Staverton Road, London N.W.2, are serving their country, five in the Army and one in the A.R.P. as a part-time Warden.

Hyman

Bernard

Philip

Favel

Emanuel

Isador

They are Hyman, aged 28 (L/Sgt., R.A.), Bernard, 26 (L/Bdr., R.A.), Philip, 24 (Bdr., R.A.), Favel, 21 (Gnr., R.A.), Emanuel, 19 (Sgm., Royal Corps of Signals), and Isador, 17 (A.R.P.). All were keen members of Habonim, in which Hyman became Rosh Gedud Trumpeldor, and Favel and Isador Rashei Kevutzot. Hyman was Treasurer of Hechalutz b'Anglia when that organisation was first formed in England; Bernard, when 13, was Chairman of the "Young Lovers of Zion"; Philip, at the age of 12, founded and later presided over the "Young Helpers of Palestine," whose youthful members collected funds for tree-planting in Palestine. Philip and Isador were both members of the Great Synagogue choir. Emanuel, before joining the Army, was a munition worker and member of the Home Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosenoff formerly lived in Great Prescott Street, Aldgate, but they were blitzed out of their East End home. The father and nine sons were familiar figures at the Great Synagogue, Duke's Place, where seven of the nine boys were Barmitzvah. Mr. Rosenoff, senr., served for some time on the Board of Management of the Great Synagogue. He is now a member of the Willesden Synagogue.

Mark

Sam.

Isaac

Hyman

Monty

Arnold

Another family which has six sons serving with the Forces is that of Mrs. Miller, of 72, Greenwood Road, Dalston, London, E.8 (formerly of Queen's Road, Upton Park, E.13). They are Mark (Essex Regt., T.A.), Sam. (R.A.), Isaac (R.A.S.C.), Hyman (R.A.), Monty (R.A.M.C.), and Arnold (R.A.F.V.R.) Three of the six are at present serving overseas. Monty, who was in the first batch of the Militia, came through the Dunkirk evacuation after service in France. Isaac was formerly employed in the office of the Zionist Federation.

NEWS ITEMS

Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue

The Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue has collected £23 8s. 6d. for the Metropolitan Hospital Sunday Fund.

Finchley District Synagogue

Mr. A. I. Bard recently lectured on "The Synagogue in Anglo-Jewry," at the Finchley District Synagogue. The Rev. M. Bloch, the Minister, has during the past few months lectured on Sabbath afternoons on Pirké Abot.

Ezra Noar Agudati

A group of this organisation has been formed in Golders Green. Activities include Ongei Shabbat, study circles, Shiurim, table-tennis, chess, and rambles. Accommodation has been secured at the Orpheum Theatre, Golders Green. Those interested should communicate with the Hon. Secretary, L. Weil, 11, Grosvenor Gardens, N.W.11.

English for Foreigners

The Robert Montefiore Institute for English for Foreigners—all stages—will reopen as a branch of the Stepney Commercial Institute (Principal, Mr. A. E. Ashworth) on Monday next, and each following weekday evening, from 6 to 8 o'clock, when Mr. Sidney Scott, who is in charge, will be present to enrol students. The fees are nominal.

Hebrew Classes

L.C.C. Hebrew Classes, conducted by Mr. Zvi Vardy, will reopen next Monday at 69, Belsize Park, N.W.3 (by permission of the Jacob Ehrlich Society). Advanced classes will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays, and intermediate classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Classes in modern Hebrew for juniors up to the age of 13 (not, however, under the auspices of the L.C.C.) are being formed for Sunday mornings at the same premises.

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THE REFUGEES

A VOLUNTARY LAND ARMY

Refugees on the Farm

Striking evidence of the eagerness with which the refugees are helping in the war effort is provided by the manner in which they are utilising the "Land Club" scheme to put in extra hours at week-ends on farms. They are also spending their holidays from office and factory in fruit-picking and similar work.

Parties are being organised to spend one or two weeks at the Cheshunt Agricultural Volunteers' Camp. They live in tents, pay 25s. a week for their board and lodging, and do fruit-picking and similar work for which they are paid, the women receiving 10d., and the men 1s. an hour.

One London refugee girl picked no fewer than 300 lb. of peas, 80 lb. of strawberries, and 50 lb. of currants in one week.

At a recent meeting of the Finsbury Park Club of the Austrian Centre, 38 people offered their services for land work Altogether, 250 Austrians have volunteered.

"The difficulty is not to find the volunteers, but the farms," a JEWISH CHRONICLE representative was told by a member of the War Effort Committee of the Free Austrian movement. "Out of 250 who were prepared to work last Sunday," he said, "work could be found only for 50, although we applied to all the official organisations connected with agriculture."

The Association of Austrians in Manchester is co-operating with the Withington Land Club in organising parties to help on nearby farms on Sundays. "Young Austria" is taking part in the Youth Service Camps which are being held to recruit young people for forestry work.

An outstanding example of the way in which refugees are pulling their weight in the war effort is that of Miss Karoline Seiler, of Hayfield, near Stockport. She works in a factory by day. In the evening she knits for the Navy, and every Sunday for the past four months she has been working on farms.

TOYNBEE HALL CLASSES

During the coming winter, classes at Toynbee Hall will again meet in the evenings, and not at week-ends. The risks of the blackout, it is stated, will be accepted. There will be classes for all adults.

In subjects of higher education prominence will be given to International Affairs and Psychology. There will be many classes in modern languages and in art, drama, and music. In singing and instrumental music private tuition can be arranged if required. Other classes include ballet dancing, fencing, physical training, public speaking, speech training, first-aid, home nursing, and hygiene. A new feature of the Toynbee Hall programme is a school of social studies intended to provide tuition for social and welfare war-time workers.

The session begins on September 1. Intending students should call or send a stamped envelope for a copy of the syllabus to the Registrar, Toynbee Hall, 28, Commercial Street, E.1. (Tel.: Bishopsgate 5949).

SIR SAMUEL GLUCKSTEIN has been appointed a representative of the London County Council on the Court of the University of London, from October 1, 1942, to September 30, 1947.

SPORTS AND CLUBS

TABLE TENNIS.—Of the 24 sports sections of the London Maccabi, the Table-tennis Section holds one of the best records. Recently, they won their match against the East London N.F.S., the score being 5-4. This is gratifying, because this was the first game the N.F.S., who are the winners of the North London Cup, had lost this year. Maccabi have played 21 games since September, 1941; 19 of them were won, one was a draw, and one was lost. The players who have excelled are Angel Fox and Carol Rapaport, the latter being the winner of the Maccabi 1941-2 Table Tennis Tournament.

SIX-A-SIDE FOOTBALL—Maccabi drew one all against Erith and Belvedere in the six-a-side football tournament at Southall, playing against the present holders of the F.A. Amateur Cup. In a six-a-side match when the number of goals scored by each side is the same, the result is decided by the number of corners gained. As Erith forced most corners they pass into the next round. M. Eisen played well throughout; Rosenfelt was unfortunate not to score in the second half, but a few minutes later M. Gastman scored; Erith equalised a minute from the end. F. Davis was safe in goal.

CRICKET—Section Leader J. W. Levy captained the London Fire Force team last week in a match at Lords against the R.A.F. (Balloon Barrage). He took 4 wickets for 33 in the 1st innings. His side won the match by 10 wickets.

ATHLETICS—Sgt.-Instructor Arthur A. Gold, A.P.T.C., captained a team at Liverpool last week in an athletic match versus Waterloo (Liverpool) Harriers and Liverpool Pembroke Athletic Club. Gold was in good form, winning the high jump event with his best effort this year, 5 ft. 10 ins., and the long jump, clearing 18 ft. 8 ins., a very useful double to encourage his team, who won the match.

EALING Y.I.'s CLAIM—The Dance and Social Committee of Ealing Y.I. (whose Chairman is Jack Epstein) have launched a novelty dance under the title of "Find the Lady"; and claim for it that it "breaks the ice" even faster than the "Paul Jones."

MILITARY MEDAL AWARD

The Military Medal has been awarded to Trooper Abraham Weiss, South African Forces, for gallant services in the Middle East.

Posthumous "Mention"

Lieutenant H. B. Goldstone, South African Engineering Corps (whose death on active service was recorded in the Roll of Honour some time ago), was mentioned in dispatches posthumously, for gallant and distinguished services.

AUSTRALIAN OFFICER'S M.B.E.

Captain Abraham Fryberg, Australian Imperial Forces, has been awarded the M.B.E. for distinguished services. Captain Fryberg, who is a medical man, was State Health Officer in the Queensland Department of Public Health from 1936 to 1940. He was born in Bendigo, Australia, and was educated at Wesley College and Queen's College, Melbourne University, and he gained also the Diplomas in Public Health and Tropical Medicine while doing post-graduate work in Sydney.

CAREERS ADVICE

More women recruits are urgently required for the Women's Auxiliary Services, particularly for the A.T.S. and the W.A.A.F., in order to set free as many men as possible for more active duties in the Forces.

As already announced, the call-up under the National Service Acts has been extended to women born between January 1 and June 30, 1922, and the Minister of Labour and National Service has decided to take the following additional steps. Deferment of calling up will no longer be granted or continued for women in the 1920-21 and the older half of the 1922 age classes, and existing deferments will shortly be cancelled. The only exceptions will be in respect of women employed on productive work in reserved industries and in a few other essential undertakings and women whose withdrawal would result in the closing down of the branch of business of national importance in which they are employed.

The Minister has also decided that certain women who have not been accepted as volunteers in the past may be accepted henceforward. Women engaged on productive work in reserved industries will be permitted to volunteer, with their employers' sanction. This will also apply to single women in the age classes called up under the National Service Acts; such women have not hitherto been accepted as volunteers, but they may now, if they wish, ask to be called up for one of the Services.

An examination in Subsidiary Subjects **only** in the Higher School Certificate of the Northern Universities will be held beginning on Monday, September 14, 1942. Entries must be made by candidates themselves on forms to be obtained from the Secretary, Joint Matriculation Board, 315, Oxford Road, Manchester, 13. Latest date for entry, Saturday, September 5. There will be no examination in Handicraft, Domestic Subjects, Mathematics, and Elementary Statistical Method, or First Aid and Home Nursing.

Inquiries from readers who require advice relating to careers and education, in whatever branch, are invited. When writing, all the relevant details should be clearly stated where a specific case is under discussion. Letters should be addressed to:

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THE Postmaster-General has announced that the Airgraph service has been extended to Canada and Newfoundland. The Airgraph postage rates to Canada and Newfoundland are the same as those applicable in the case of the service to the Middle East, India, etc., viz., 8d. for messages addressed to civilians, and 3d. for messages to personnel of H.M. Army, Royal Air Force, Royal Navy, and Merchant Navy.

SOVIET JEWRY'S APPEAL

Praise for London Committee's Activity

Much publicity is being given in the Soviet Union to the conference organised by the United Jewish Committee to be held next Sunday at the People's Palace, Mile End Road, E.

In the last weekly Yiddish broadcast from Kuibyshev—the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee broadcasts for thirty minutes every Saturday evening at 8.30 B.S.T. on wavelengths of 37.27 and 48.94 metres—mention was made of the conferences being organised by British and Palestinian Jewries. "These conferences," said the speaker, "must give a lead to the Jewries of America and other countries." It was also announced that the Jews of Biro-Bidjan had collected 65,000 roubles for the Anti-Fascist Committee.

Under the slogan of "Not back to the ghetto, but forward to battle," Itzik Pfeffer, the well-known Soviet Yiddish writer, has issued a message to world Jewry. He says the Jews have taken part in every movement for freedom and justice in the history of mankind. To-day, as in the past, the Jews must storm the ghetto walls. "Formerly, the ghetto meant moral humiliation and isolation for all peoples. To-day, the ghetto spells physical extermination. Everyone who does not line up in the struggle against the Fascists has consequently made his peace with the ghetto and is also preparing the ghetto for his children." He concludes: "The ghetto walls which the brown devil builds must be torn down and destroyed for ever." This appeal is being published by the United Jewish Committee.

Professor S. Brodetsky, President of the Board of Deputies, has, in a letter to Mr. Morris Myer, expressed his sympathy with the aims of the United Jewish Committee.

UNIVERSITY NEWS

The Inter-University Jewish Federation has forwarded £45 to the Hebrew University Students' Union for its students' hostel. The Federation is co-operating with Bachad this year in the Ministry of Agriculture harvesting scheme. Students will be employed on the Kibbutz at Bromsgrove. Inquiries should be addressed to Bachad, Woburn House, London, W.C.1, or to the Secretary of the Federation.

Jacob Melnick, a student at Queen Mary College, University of London (evacuated to Cambridge), has been awarded the Hatton Scholarship for the session 1942-3. He is the only child of Mr. David Melnick, the Secretary of the Adath Yisroel Synagogue and Burial Society.

The Manchester University Semitics Department has made the following awards: Advanced Hebrew Prize, divided between Josef Herbstmann and Simon Kalisch; Elementary Hebrew Prize, divided between Ethel F. Caplan and Andrej Neuschloss.

The following successes at the University of Sheffield are announced: B.A. (Honours, French and German): Harold Dautch. LL.B., Inter.: Kenneth Caplan. M.B., B.Ch., 1st Exam.: Harold Cohen, Elinor Dubas; 2nd Exam.: Harold Debovitch.

At Cardiff University College the following were among the successful candidates: B.A. (Honours), French: Celia Solomons, Esther Webber; Hebrew: I. I. Cohen; Philosophy and German: W. Haas; B.A. (Pass): Ruth Harris, Rosa Fine, M. Chazan. B.Sc.: Cyril L. Silver.

At Trinity College, Dublin, recently, Mr. M. Mansoor was awarded the Senior Arabic Prize and the First Prize in Syriac and Aramaic, having obtained first rank in both. Mr. G. B. Wigoder was awarded the Junior Arabic Prize, first rank, and the second prize in Syriac and Aramaic; and second prize in Hebrew. (Mr. Wigoder was, in error, recorded in a recent issue as having gained first prize in Arabic, Aramaic, and Syriac.)

J.C. CHILDREN'S SECTION.

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TWO LEADERS

By AUNTIE

I DO not know how many of you have seen the film "Young Mr. Pitt." Those of you who have, will probably have noticed how applicable its situations are to the present day. Throughout history, comparisons have been made between the people and events of different periods, and this week I want to show you the similarities between the lives of our greatest teacher, Moses, and the founder of present-day Zionism, Theodor Herzl. The work of both these men led to the nationalisation of the Jewish people.

Both Moses and Herzl were brought up in an assimilated environment. Herzl, born in Budapest about 1860, was reared by wealthy parents in an atmosphere of love for German culture and conditions. He studied law at Vienna University but turned to journalism. He had no knowledge of our Jewish heritage and his feelings towards Judaism only grew because of the surrounding anti-Semitism.

Moses was brought up in a king's palace, among the most cultured people in Egypt. He knew he was a Hebrew, but had not been educated among his own people. He saw the first mass anti-Semitism of the world—Hebrew slavery under the Egyptian yoke.

Herzl was in Paris in 1895, during the famous Dreyfus case, as the correspondent of an Austrian paper. Alfred Dreyfus, a Jewish officer in the French Army, was accused of selling French military secrets to Germany. The judges who knew he was innocent, nevertheless allowed their decision to be influenced because he was a Jew, and he was found guilty and sent to the notorious prison of Devil's Island, Herzl and his assimilated friends had always considered themselves Austrians, but in a flash he realised that this was something for which he must stand and fight—the right of the Jew to justice and fairness as a human being. He began to study the Jewish problem, and tried to find a solution. He wrote down his ideas in a book, "The Jewish State," which I hope you will read when you are older. In it, he unfolded his plan for a Jewish National Home, but he was laughed at for his pains!

As Moses grew up, he saw that a section of the people in Egypt were being maltreated—the Jews. His first attempt to prevent fighting between the Hebrews themselves was resented and he fled to Midian, but because of the Egyptian persecution he felt he must identify himself with his downtrodden people. His call as a leader of the Jewish nation was divine—a call direct from God.

Thus both these men received their call to leadership in alien surroundings. Each had a hard and difficult task, but each faithfully performed it to the best of his ability. Of course, Moses was a much greater man than Herzl and was able to do more because his work and teaching were a direct command from God.

Moses is remembered throughout our Torah, for the first five books of the Bible are called "The Five Books of Moses," although the first one contains nothing about him. The laws laid down in them are called "The Mosaic Code." These books form the basis of all our laws; moral, dealing with man's relations to man, and religious, dealing with his relations to God.

Herzl's book, "The Jewish State," was one which was recognised by Zionists as the book of the day, some 40 years ago, and it is still read and discussed and will continue to be by future generations.

Moses led the people through many years towards the Promised Land "flowing with milk and honey," but he did not enter it himself. Herzl, also, was unable to live in Palestine permanently, but his work led finally to the recognition of the Jewish National Home.

We have thus seen how these two great Jewish leaders were brought up in similar assimilated environments, how their call to national leadership was made through anti-Semitism, how in spite of their wish to live in the land neither was able to do so, but both paved the way for their fellow-Jews to enter Eretz Yisrael.

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AUNTIE'S CORRESPONDENCE

CECIL ASHE, Prestwich.—I hope that you and your sister have passed your examinations and have had pleasant holidays.

JANET H. BLOCH, Surbiton.—I am always glad to have such letters, so mind you keep your promise and write frequently. You can send anything you like, a toy, drawing, story, a piece of needlework, etc., but it must be made or written by you. I congratulate you on your success. Your contributions to four of our Funds were very acceptable.

MAUREEN AND SHIRLEY COHEN, Manchester.—The certificates were duly sent. I regret that they went astray, but am posting you duplicates, which I trust will be received this time. Thank you very much for the gift sent in memory of your dear grandmother. I wonder if your mother has kept her memento. I hope that Maureen had a happy birthday.

AMALIE S. FIELD, Bradford.—I regret that our space is too limited at present. You forgot to mention the author's name and if it has appeared in any other paper. I have not yet changed my sex.

SHIRLEY GALINSKY, Hendon.—Accept my sincere congratulations on the splendid results. I was glad to have some of your pocket-money and to know that you have been a busy bee.

DOREEN GAVENTA, N.W.9.—I am truly grateful to you and your friends for helping our Special Fund.

CARMEL GOODMAN, Elburton.—A hearty welcome to you! I trust that you had a happy day. It was good of you to send me two birthday gifts instead of having a party. When you have time write to me again.

STUART GOODMAN, Elburton.—Your postal order was greatly appreciated. I should like to have you as a nephew.

JOANNA.—Many thanks for your letter and help.

MRS. S. MARCUSON, Hendon.—I thank you both very much for the donations sent in memory of a loved one.

SARAH F. MILLER, Gorseinon.—I was interested to learn of the whereabouts of Sylvia. She is not one of my members, so perhaps Anne will tell her to fill in a coupon. Give my respects to T. I wonder what he has chosen this year.

DAVID L. TAUBER, High Wycombe.—Welcome to the League!

GIFTS TO FUNDS

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL

The League is trying to collect £30 to buy a refrigerator for a ward in our hospital. All readers are invited to help.

Janet H. Bloch, 1s.; Maureen and Shirley Cohen, 2s. 6d.; Collected from friends by Doreen Gaventa, 5s.; Rene Golker, 2s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Marcuson, 10s. 6d.; and Mrs. Phillips, 2s. 6d.

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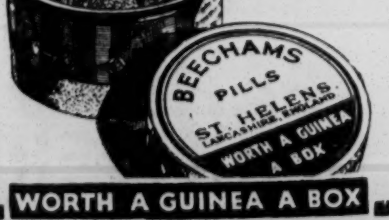

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Points from Letters

TALMUD BY CORRESPONDENCE

Your readers will doubtless be interested to learn that the Talmud by correspondence course, referred to in your "Incidentally" column a fortnight ago, is due to commence on Thursday, September 3. The tractate chosen is Hullin, and the text employed is the ordinary text of the Talmud, divided into lessons of suitable length and shortened by the omission of certain parenthetical passages. The English translation, while literal, is idiomatic enough to be read without strain by students who know no Hebrew. Brief footnotes have been added to elucidate obscure points. In addition, there are pages of general notes containing information on subjects (other than Shechita), a knowledge of which is assumed by the Gemara. The work has been prepared by Mr. H. Klein, of Aria College, 100, St. Cross Road, Winchester. The materials for the production of the course are being provided by a friend of Jewish education closely connected with the Talmud Torah Trust. Serving members of His Majesty's Forces who enrol will receive it free. Civilians are asked to send 2s. to cover postage for the first six months. All communications in connection with the course should be addressed to Mr. H. Klein, as above.—THE REV. J. HALPERN (Hon. Secretary), Jewish Educational Publications, Woburn House, Upper Woburn Place, W.C.1.

TEKIOT DI-MEYUSHAB

The first series of Shofar notes sounded on Rosh Hashana after the Haftara is called, in the Rabbinical literature, Tekiot di-meyushab or "sitting tekiot," and the second series, sounded during the Musaf Amidah, is named Tekiot de-meumad or "standing tekiot." The question arises, why should the first series be called "meyushab" when the custom is for the congregation to be standing? The Jewish Encyclopedia (vol. xi., 302) explains that "it is so called in contradistinction to the Tekiot de-meumad rendered at the Amidah," and the same reason is also given by Eisenstein in his Hebrew Encyclopedia, Otzar Israel. This explanation is obviously irrational. One would scarcely apply the term "sitting" to a rendering performed when one is standing; and as to "contradistinction," it would have been quite sufficient and clear enough to call them "first" and "second series." The real reason for the term "Meyushab" is quite simple. In the time of the Talmud, and for a long time after, the custom was for the congregation to be seated during the first series of the Shofar. This can be seen from the statement by Rabbi Yizchok (Rosh Hashana 16a): "Why do we sound Tekiah and Teruah while sitting and again while standing?" Maimonides, also puts it quite clearly. He says: "The popular custom is that after replacing the Sefer Torah in the Ark the whole congregation sits down, and only one, the Baal tekiah, remains standing; he recites the Berachot and sounds the Shofar as prescribed." I presume that it is appropriate to sit when we listen to a Reader in order the better to concentrate, as we do when the Megillah is read or when a sermon is being delivered; but in the second series, which is rendered during the Amidah, and in some congregations during the "silent" Amidah, we, of course, have to stand. Perhaps some of your readers could enlighten me as to when this original custom was changed.—B. MUENDE, 51, Hodford Road, N.W.11.

MINISTERS' SALARIES

Turning the leaves of the account sheets issued by the United Synagogue for last year, I noticed some details as regards the ministers' position with the U.S. that might be of interest to you and the Jewish public in general. Among the 19 ministers who are at the moment actively engaged at the London Constituent Synagogues (excluding those acting as Chaplains to the Forces), the salaries of only seven are being made up on the basis of the pre-war scale of about £500 p.a.; all the rest, about twelve ministers, are being paid "salaries" constituting half, or a third, of the income of their more fortunate colleagues; one reverend gentleman figures in those account sheets even with an annual income of £143. What makes it even more monstrous, the difference in salary has nothing whatsoever to do—as some might think—with the scope or income of the Synagogues in question, nor with the qualifications or work of the ministers; those outrageous "salaries" are being paid by some of the largest and richest Synagogues to some of the best qualified and most active ministers. The U.S. account sheets contain yet another matter of interest in this connection, the payments to the Beadles. It appears that in a good many cases the salaries of both ministers and beadles are more or less on the same level. Sometimes it is the Beadle who gets £5 p.a. less (e.g., Brondesbury: Minister, £200 p.a.; Beadle, £195 p.a.!) and sometimes it is the minister (e.g., Hampstead: Beadle, £255 p.a.; minister, £250 p.a.). Considering the difference between the work of the Beadle, whose duties consist in showing a visiting worshipper to his seat in the Synagogue and handing him a Prayer-Book, and the work and position of the minister as the leader and spiritual head of his Community, a man with a curriculum of 15-20 years of studies at colleges and university, one cannot help wondering what really is in the mind of those gentlemen who are at the head of the United Synagogue, or whether there is anything in their minds at all.—"A MINISTER."

JEWISH UNITY GROUP

The Jewish Unity Group fully endorses Mr. Easterman's complaints to the Council of Continental Zionists, reported by you in your issue of August 14, "that there exists in Jewry no common platform . . . to consider their problems on an international basis," and that "there was never a time when there was more disintegration in Jewry than there is now in a hundred ways." To put an end to such a tragic situation is the aim common to the Jewish Unity Group and to Mr. Easterman's World Jewish Congress. Although Mr. Easterman spoke of unity groups as a fresh source of disunity, he made it clear in his reply to the discussion that he welcomes the efforts of the Jewish Unity Group, with which the World Jewish Congress would gladly collaborate. Needless to say that the Jewish Unity Group would be only too pleased if its programme would find practical realisation through the efforts of the World Jewish Congress.—THE REV. A. CARLEBACH (Vice-Chairman), 18, Oakleigh Gardens, Edgware, Middlesex.

THE K.H. IN STUBBS'

The other day my attention was drawn to the issue of Stubbs' Weekly Gazette, dated July 22, on page one of which, under the heading "Mortgages and Charges by Limited Companies," there appeared the following: "Erez Israel (Palestine) Foundation Fund Keren Hayesod Ltd., London, W.C.—July 10, two substituted securities, to Lloyds Bank, Ltd., supplemental to debs. dated Oct. 31, 1934, and Apr. 12, 1938, and to debs. dated Oct. 31, 1934; charged on certain shares and debs. £432,330 Sept. 12, 1941." I noticed that the last figure in the announcement (£432,330) was marked with an asterisk which was said to denote the total amount of debts, or, as the case may be, the total amount of indebtedness as specified in the last available annual summary. And the warning is added that "such total amount may have been reduced since such date." Seeing that the Keren Hayesod is our Jewish National Exchequer and is very much of a public fund, it would be of interest if the Directors thereof could give us an up-to-date conspectus of the Fund and of any indebtedness it might still bear, and some facts about the rather fearsome figure of £432,330 referred to in Stubbs'. It is a pity that some of this information was not made available for Mrs. Silverman to discuss in the course of her recent fund-raising campaign for the Keren Hayesod in this country. It would have provided a good prosaic foil of finance to her more romantic and dramatic moments.—"A 'K.H.' SUBSCRIBER," Glasgow.

THE NEW PALESTINE REGIMENT

In connection with the new Palestine Regiment which is being formed, Palestinians in Great Britain are urgently requested to send their names and addresses to me at the address below.—MR. Z. BEHAR, 67, Great Russell Street, W.C.1.

THE SAADIA MILLENARY

As a contribution to the Millenary Celebration, in the autumn of 1942, of the death of Sa'adyah Gaon, the great Jewish philosopher, the following work is being published: "Sa'adyah Gaon on the Influence of Music," by Dr. Henry George Farmer. With Arabic and Hebrew texts, English translations, and full commentaries. Cr. 4to, ca. pp. 130, with 2 facsimile plates and musical notes. 1942. Approximate price, 18s. The great philosopher devotes a section to the question of the Influence of Music on the human mind in the final chapter of his Kitab al-amanat (Sefer ha-emunot). The elucidation of the text has long puzzled both translators and exegetes. It is fortunate that the question is now dealt with by someone who is an authority on the subject and whose researches in Oriental music have world-wide acceptance. Dr. Farmer also saw the difficulties and realised that the only way to surmount them was to bring the various Arabic and Hebrew texts together and edit them afresh after careful comparison. In the present work the five versions of the section of music in the amanat and Emunot have been critically edited and translated, together with lengthy commentaries. A vast amount of new material from the musical aspect is presented in the book. The editing of the Hebrew texts is the work of Prof. W. Barron Stevenson, the well-known Hebrew scholar.—MR. ARTHUR PROBSTHAIN, 41, Great Russell Street, W.C.1.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

Allow me to reply to Mr. Porton's outcry that our Sabbath observances are a conglomeration of fossilised practices which ought to be modified in accordance with the 20th century age. He suggests that we avail ourselves of the enlightened principles laid down by some of the broad-minded Rabbis of old. Perhaps Mr. Porton would like to mention a few of these "enlightened principles." The words of the Mishna (Chagigah, 10a) which were brought in, for corroboration, have clearly been misunderstood. The true sense has not been grasped. Perhaps if Mr. Porton would glance towards the foot of the "Daph," he would appreciate the statement of the Mishna. "Religion," he tells us, "as everything else is subjected to the universal law of evolution." Surely one cannot compare that which is temporal and ephemeral, with something which is eternal and sacred! The Synagogue fails to attract the Jewish youth because that which is preached is not practised. Both spiritual and lay leaders fail to act up to their precepts. A mighty national religious propaganda campaign would go far to arouse us from our lethargy. We want a new spirit for a new world with equal opportunities for all. That spirit is lacking in the Synagogue, and until these ideals are fought for, and established, Mr. Porton's desire to see the Shools filled will never be realised. May I suggest Mr. Porton examine the verses mentioned in the Prophets, Jer. xvii—21, Ez. xxi—26, and Neh. xiii—16-17.—THE REV. I. SACOFSKY, 8, Grange Crescent, Leeds 7.

I have read with disgust your correspondent's remarks in his letter regarding the attendance of young people at shool on Sabbath. May I state from the outset that it is a pity that he does not attend a Synagogue that creates an environment for these young people to attend their Sabbath services. I was an Hon. Officer for many years of one of the youngest United Synagogues in the London metropolitan area, and can honestly say that not only are their services attended by mostly young people, but it was through the enthusiasm of these "young people" that the Synagogue was built. Even in these very difficult times it is still in the foreground in its activities through the enthusiasm of a young and efficient minister, with a committee of young and enthusiastic members, who still take a delight in communal activities. I would suggest he pays a visit to North West London and visits one of the United Synagogues, then I am sure he will find that his remarks are entirely unfounded.—MR. JULIUS COHEN, 36, Glanville Road, Oxford.

THE N.Z.O. CONFERENCE

May I correct what seems to have been a printer's error in last week's issue of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE. In your report on the N.Z.O. Conference it is stated that one of the resolutions expressed thanks to the "Emergency Committee." This should have read "Central Committee." The actual resolution expressed to Mr. Briscoe and Mr. Abrahams its fullest confidence and charged "the newly-elected Central Committee of the N.Z.O. in Great Britain to undertake all steps necessary to achieve complete unity of the Movement." A resolution was also passed expressing the thanks of the Conference to the old Central Committee of the N.Z.O. in Great Britain, consisting of Dr. Harris, Dr. Posner, Mr. A. B. Rivlin, Mr. Danovitch, and Mr. N. Nevies.—DR. P. RIEBENFELD (Chairman, N.Z.O. in Great Britain), 137, Regent Street, W.1.

ANTI-SEMITISM AFTER THE WAR

Much thought is being devoted to the question of post-war reconstruction. It is a matter of urgent importance that the virus of anti-Semitism should receive the serious attention of those whose efforts are being directed to this end. Our Community should make official representation in the proper quarters to this effect, at the same time submitting recommendations of a practical character dealing with this evil. One method is to apply the stricture of the law to libel and slander of recognised religious communities, and it is the duty of our Community to press for this action.—MR. MARK GOLDSTEIN, Sea View Hotel, Combe Martin, North Devon.

SPEAKERS WHO DON'T

May I protest most vehemently against the practice of certain Jewish organisations who entice the unwary public to meetings by advertising the names of numerous prominent individuals and later, when they are due to appear, apologise for their non-attendance. I have attended numerous meetings of late to hear the views of such public men as Swaffer, Laski, and Gollancz, only to have, instead, the wailings of second-rate speakers thrown across the empty seats of the meeting halls. Such a situation tends to undermine the confidence of the public and leads to such fiascos as a recent meeting at the People's Palace, when a hall capable of seating thousands was used by barely a hundred.—"IRATE ZIONIST," E.3.

SUPPLY OF VEGETABLE MARGARINE

I wish to draw your readers' attention to the following announcement in a recent number of THE TIMES: "Vegetarians and diabetics should apply in person or by post, taking with them, or sending, their fourth edition ration book with the page of cancelled special **cheese coupons.** They will require no other document for their identification. Vegetarians desiring to obtain vegetable margarine in place of cooking fats are advised to apply for the alternative ration at the same time."—MR. M. A. RETTER (Secretary), Joint Kashrus Committee, Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations, 126, Green Lanes, N.16.

FREE SERVICES AT STAINES

Free services will be held during the coming High Festivals at "The Beeches," Church Street, Staines. As there are only a limited number of seats, immediate intimation by those desiring to attend is requested. Members of H.M. Forces will be especially welcomed. The Synagogue is affiliated to the Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations, and services are held on Sabbaths and week-days throughout the year. A "Talmudic Shiur" is also held every evening between 9 and 10, at which all are welcome.—MR. DAVID HAMMOND.

RELIGIOUS APPURTENANCES REQUIRED

The approaching Festivals find our religious Kibbutzim and agricultural hostels (comprising some 500 boys and girls) with an insufficient number of Machsorim and Chumashim and other requirements for service. We should greatly appreciate it if you would kindly permit us, through your valuable columns, to appeal to your readers to send us anything appertaining to service of the Festivals that they can spare. We should also be grateful to receive at least one Shofar for each of our six Kibbutzim.—MR. ARIEH HANDLER, Bachad, Woburn House, Upper Woburn Place, W.C.1.

לשנה טובה
NEW YEAR GREETINGS

ACKERMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. D. Ackerman and sons, 31, Tillingbourne Gardens, N.3, wish their children, grandchildren, Mechutanim, relations and friends a happy and prosperous New Year.

BEENSTOCK.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Beenstock and son wish mother, children, relatives and friends a happy, prosperous and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—"Interlude," Waterpark Road, Salford, 7.

BEENSTOCK.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Beenstock and sons wish their dear father, brothers, sisters, relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—29, Waterpark Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

BERKOVITCH.—Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Berkovitch, son and daughter wish relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—1, Fort Road, Prestwich, Lancs.

BLADON.—Mr. and Mrs. David Bladon and family extend greetings to relatives and friends and wish a safe return to those on active service.—53, Agecroft Road East, Prestwich.

BLOND.—Mrs. Rachel Blond wishes her relatives, friends and Zionist colleagues a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—Aishel Court, 10, Promenade, St. Annes-on-Sea.

BLOOM.—Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bloom wish their dear children, relatives, Mechutanim and friends a happy New Year of Peace and well over the Fast.—"Merlewood," Upper Park Road, Salford, 7.

BRESSLOFF.—The Rev. S. and Mrs. Bressloff and sons, of Ramsgate, now at 10, West Heath Drive, Golders Green, N.W.11, wish Collegiates, relatives and friends a happy New Year.

BRUMMER.—The Rev. F. and Mrs. Brummer, of Brighton, sincerely wish their family, relatives, Congregation and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.

BUTENSKY.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Butensky and family wish relatives and friends a happy, peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—164, Bury New Road, Manchester.

CAINER.—Mrs. L. Cainer wishes children, grandchildren, relatives and friends a happy, prosperous and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—9, Grange View, Chapeltown, Leeds, 7.

CANTOR.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cantor, son and daughter wish their dear mother, brothers, sisters, relatives and friends, at home and abroad, a very happy and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.—58, Halsall Road, Birkdale, Southport.

CASKET.—Mrs. S. Casket wishes her dear children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, sisters, brothers, relatives and friends a happy New Year, with the hope of an early and victorious peace.—38, Ash Street, Southport.

CEMMELL.—Mrs. G. Cemmell and family, 356, Humberstone Road, Leicester, wish all friends and relatives a happy New Year and well over the Fast.

COHEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cohen, sons and daughter wish their relatives and friends a very happy New Year and well over the Fast.—"Inglewood," Upper Park Road, Broughton Park, Manchester.

COHEN.—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cohen and daughters wish their children, relatives and friends, at home and abroad, a happy and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.—48, Clifford Road, Birkdale, Lancs. (late Bootle).

COYNE.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Coyne, 15, Witley Court, W.C.1, wish all their relatives and friends, and relatives in the Forces, a happy and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.

FARBER.—Mr. Marks Farber and sons wish their dear relatives and friends, at home and abroad, a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—6, Wilton Polygon, Manchester.

FIDLER.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fidler and daughters extend greetings to relatives, Mechutanim and friends for a brighter and happier New Year and well over the Fast.—119, Park Road, Prestwich.

FIDLER.—Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Fidler and son wish relatives and friends a brighter and victorious New Year.—25, Woodhill Drive, Prestwich, Lancs.

FINEBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fineberg and son wish relatives and friends a happy and victorious New Year.—Chippinghouse Road, Sheffield.

FLACKS.—Mr. and Mrs. D. Flacks and sons, "Spaldrich," Old Hall Road, Broughton Park, Manchester, wish all their children, grandchildren, relatives, and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.

FORSTER.—Mr. and Mrs. B. Forster and family wish their parents, sisters, brothers, relatives and friends, at home and abroad, a happy and peaceful New Year and "Gamar Hatima Tova."—"Bernrose," Broom Lane, Broughton Park, Manchester.

FOX.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fox and Regina wish relatives and friends well over the Fast and a New Year of peace and happiness.—2, Butt Hill Drive, Prestwich.

FREEDMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman and family, of 29, Foley Street, London, W.1, send New Year greetings to their family, relations and friends.

FREEMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. David Freeman and Junior extend the season's greetings to relatives and friends.—9, Parksway, Prestwich.

FREEMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Freeman, sons and daughter wish all relatives and friends a happy New Year.—"Riversvale," Gadly Lane, Buxton, Derbyshire.

GETHIC.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gethic and son wish their dear parents, relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year.—17, Breeze Mount, Prestwich.

GOTTFRIED.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Gottfried and daughter, 15, Chessington Court, Finchley, N.3, wish their daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren, friends, relatives, Mechutanim, officials, Board of Management and members of the North London Synagogue a very happy, joyous and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.

GOULDMAN.—Mrs. David Gouldman and sons wish all relatives and friends, and all sisters and brethren of the Friendly Societies' movement, a happy, prosperous and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—9, Smedley Lane, Manchester, 8.

GOULDMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Gouldman, "Hymie" and Jeanette wish relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year.—19, Merry Bower Road, Broughton Park, Salford, 7.

GROSS.—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gross wish their children, grandchildren, Mechutanim and friends, in England and America, a happy and peaceful New Year.—7, Vallance Gardens, Hove.

HARRIS.—A happy and prosperous New Year to relations, at home and abroad, and a victorious peace.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, Belmont, Shrewsbury.

HENIG.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Henig and son, Balfour House, Salisbury Road, Leicester, wish all relatives, friends, and Mechutanim a happy New Year.

ISAACSON.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Isaacson, 52, St. George's Road, Bolton, wish their children, relatives and friends a happy and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.

KISSIN.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Kissin, of 18, Berriedale Avenue, Hove, wish their family, relatives and friends well over the Fast and a New Year of peace and happiness.

KWASNIK.—Gunner H. Kwasnik, R.A., and L. Kwasnik, M.N., brothers and sisters (sons and daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eli Kwasnik) wish all relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—12, Park Range, Victoria Park, Manchester, 14.

LAPIDUS.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lapidus and son wish all relatives and friends a happy, peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—192, Wilmslow Road, Withington, Manchester, 20.

LAUNER.—Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Launer and daughter wish all relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—86, King's Road, Prestwich, Manchester.

LAZARUS.—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lazarus wish relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year.—580, Liverpool Road, Ainsdale, Southport.

LEON.—Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allenby convey to relatives and friends their good wishes for the coming year.—96, Park Road, Prestwich.

LERNER.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Lerner and family wish relatives and friends season's greetings.—171, Cheetham Hill Road, Manchester.

LEVER.—Councillor and Mrs. Leslie Lever and daughter extend to their relatives and friends the season's greetings, with the hope of an early and victorious peace.—16, John Dalton Street, Manchester.

LEVI.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Levi and family wish their children, Mechutanim, all relatives and friends, at home and abroad, a very happy New Year.—105, North Street, Leeds.

LEVY (Leslie).—Mr. and Mrs. J. Levy (Leslie) and family wish their parents, Mechutanim, relatives, and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—18, Haslemere Gardens, Finchley, N.3.

LEWIS.—Mrs. Lewis and "Mick" wish their children, relatives and friends a happy and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.—9, Hardy Street, Liverpool, 1.

LIBBERT.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Libbert and Joan convey sincere greetings to their dear parents, relatives and friends, and wish a safe, victorious return to those on active service.—29, Woodhill Drive, Prestwich.

MALWIN.—Mr. and Mrs. David Malwin wish brothers, sisters, relatives and friends a peaceful, prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.—810, Kingsway, Parrswood, Manchester, 20.

MENDEL.—Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Mendel wish their dear mother, children, Machtenista, relatives and friends a healthy, happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—50, Stanley Road, Salford, 7.

NISENBAUM.—Mr. and Mrs. N. Nisenbaum and son wish their children, relatives, Mechutanim and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—15, Ebbsfleet Road, Cricklewood, N.W.2.

PAULE.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Paule and daughter wish all their relatives and friends a happy and prosperous New Year.—25, Philimore Court, Kensington High Street, W.8.

PORTNOY.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Portnoy and Leslie wish their dear parents, relatives and friends a peaceful and victorious New Year.—"Cross Knowle," 95, Cavendish Road, Kersal, Manchester.

PORTNOY.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Portnoy and son wish relatives and friends well over the Fast. May the New Year see the liberation of all oppressed peoples.—80, Scarisbrick New Road, Southport.

POST.—Mr. and Mrs. Post and son, of 72, Waterpark Road, Salford, 7, wish all relatives and friends a peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.

RAPAPORT.—2nd Lieut. and Mrs. S. O. Rapaport, 157, Bury New Road, Prestwich, wish all relatives and friends best wishes for the New Year and well over the Fast.

ROSE.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rose and "Danny" wish their dear parents, relatives and all friends a happy and peaceful New Year.—2, Queen's Road, St. Annes-on-Sea.

ROSENBERG.—Mrs. J. Rosenberg, sons and daughter (Mrs. D. Kaufman), and Mrs. R. Mistofski wish relatives and friends a peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—282, Great Cheetham Street West, Salford.

ROSENBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. Saul Rosenberg, sons and daughters wish their parents, relatives and friends a happy and peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—1, Park Street, Salford, 7.

ROSENHEAD.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenhead and daughters wish relatives and friends a peaceful and prosperous New Year and well over the Fast.—377, Street Lane, Leeds.

SAMUEL.—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Samuel and daughters, Betty and Diane, wish parents, relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—9, Vartry Road, Stamford Hill, N.15, and 10, Maidcroft Road, Oxford.

SHALYT.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Shalyt and daughters wish all relatives and friends a peaceful, happy New Year and well over the Fast.—"Eastholme," Prestwich Park, Manchester.

SHERRAD.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Sherrad and daughters wish relatives and friends a peaceful New Year and well over the Fast.—16, Shirley Road, Manchester, 8.

SIMONS.—Mr. and Mrs. Israel Simons wish all relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.—27, Castle Hill Road, Prestwich.

SKOLNICK.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Skolnick, of 29, St. George's Avenue, Northampton, wish their parents, children, grandchild, relatives and friends a happy and prosperous New Year.

SYKES.—Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Sykes and daughter, 157, Bury New Road, Prestwich, offer all relatives and friends best wishes for the New Year and wish them well over the Fast.

WARM.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Warm and son, "Sunnyholme," Castle Hill Road, Prestwich, wish parents, relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.

WINGATE.—Dr. and Mrs. Wingate and son, of 122, Green Lanes, N.16, wish all relatives and friends a happy New Year and well over the Fast.

WOLFSON.—Mrs. Solomon Wolfson, of 18, Arrol Drive, Ayr, and 44, Portland Court, Great Portland Street, London, W.1, wishes her dear children, grandchildren, relations and friends a happy New Year. American papers, please copy.

WOLFSON.—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wolfson and son, of "The Elms," Battenhall Avenue, Worcester, and 74, Portland Place, London, W.1, wish their dear parents, sisters, brothers, relatives and friends a happy New Year. American papers, please copy.

WOLFSON.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Wolfson and family, of 39, Bellevue Crescent, Ayr, and 35, Anson Road, London, N.W.2, wish their dear mother, brothers, sisters, relatives and friends a happy New Year. "Gamar Hatima Tova." American papers, please copy.

WOLFSON.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfson and family, 71, Avenue Road, London, N.W., wish their dear parents, sisters, brothers, relatives and friends a happy New Year. American papers, please copy.

ZIGMOND.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Zigmond and family wish relatives and friends a very happy, prosperous and peaceful New Year.—Flat 6, Main Parade, Chorley Wood, Herts.

HOME SECTION

Incidentally . . .

Lord Mancroft, one of the eleven Jewish peers, who died last week, had few official connections with the community. But his pride of faith was shown by his quickness to speak up for it when the occasion demanded. An interesting example occurred in the House of Commons, of which he was then a member, in March, 1930. The Labour Government of the day had issued as a White Paper, a translation of the Soviet decree regulating religious worship. Many questions had been put to Mr. Arthur Henderson, who was Foreign Secretary, among them one by Mr. A. M. Samuel (as Lord Mancroft then was):

"Does the right hon. gentleman realise that I, at least, belong to a creed which has suffered severely?" Considerable interruption from Ministerialists followed. Was it in order, asked one member, for references to personal beliefs to be made in the discussion?—to which the Speaker was understood to say he hoped such references would not be made. But Mr. Samuel persisted: "May I appeal to the right hon. gentleman on behalf of the creed to which I belong?" (Further interruption from Ministerialists.) Finally, Mr. Henderson: "It is all very well for us to make appeals on behalf of our creeds, but I have answered that it is difficult to see what the Government can do to assist even the members of the creed to which the member for Farnham (Mr. Samuel) belongs."

While speaking of Lord Mancroft, I should like to quote from a tribute to him by a correspondent in THE TIMES. The writer tells us that the late baron was the one man who not only perceived the root cause of the 1930-31 depression, but put it into five words. . . . "the decay of common honesty."

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THE SOLOMON ISLANDS

Contrary to what may be supposed, the name of the Solomon Islands, the scene of successful American action against the Japs in the Australian war zone, does not denote any special Jewish connection—except some Bible knowledge on the part of their discoverer. According to a standard work of reference, the Spanish navigator Mendaña sailed from Callao in 1567 to find land between America and Asia. After crossing 7,000 miles of ocean, he fell in with an archipelago of large islands and "in pleasing anticipation of their natural riches, named them Islas de Salomon." The natives are described as being intelligent, quick and nervous in temperament, crafty but amenable to good treatment. They are fond of dancing and their music is a monotonous chant. Apparently there is nothing Jewish in their origin, not even in the native skill in making "jew's harps."

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WARMLY RECEIVED

A charming story has been received by Palcor from Palestine. An Australian soldier, homesick for his own farm, spent his leave in the Jewish village of Afikim. Donning working clothes, he took an active share in all the work. He was asked to bring ice from the neighbouring Kvutza, Dagania B, as Afikim's refrigerating plant had broken down. The settlers told him that all he needed to ask for was "Kerach" (Hebrew for ice). Entering the courtyard of Dagania B, the Aussie saw a man digging in the garden and yelled out "Kerach." The man looked up uncomprehendingly. "Kerach, kerach!" yelled the other. The digger came over, trailing his spade, and said, "Mah?—What?" Taking a deep breath, the Aussie repeated "Kerach." The other scratched his head. "Do you speak English?" he asked. "Of course I do," was the reply. "Well," said the Dagania B man, "what d'you want?" "I want some ice for Afikim," said the visitor. "Hell, why didn't you say so in the first place?" the other asked. "You're an Australian, aren't you?" "Sure I am; come from South Australia." "Well, I'm from the North, and I'm spending my leave working here. Come on, and we'll get you some ice."

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IN SHANGHAI

A message has been received, through the Red Cross, from the Rev. M. Brown, Minister of the Seymour Street Synagogue, Shanghai, that he and his family are all safe and well. Mr. Brown used to be the Minister of the North-West London Synagogue in Caversham Road. His daughter some time ago wrote an interesting article for this paper on the refugees in Shanghai.

FAMOUS BLIND PIANIST

Mr. Edward Isaacs, Manchester's famous blind pianist, has written, in connection with the recent paragraph in which he was mentioned as having broadcast in a Jewish programme for the B.B.C. in 1925, pointing out that he was actually engaged by the B.B.C. on that occasion to play some pianoforte music composed by people of Jewish birth. This pianoforte recital, I must explain, was not part of the broadcast given at that time by the Rev. A. Behrman and his choir, but was an independent part of the B.B.C. programme. Mr. Isaacs, by the way, has for many years been Director of the deservedly popular concerts of the Manchester Tuesday Midday Concerts Society.

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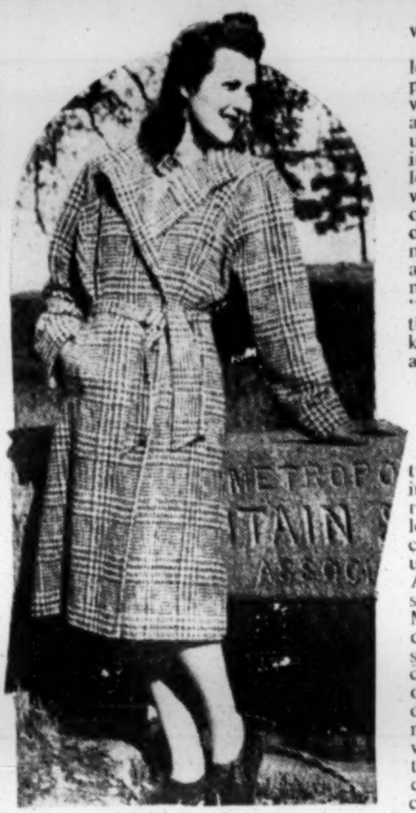
TRUTH WILL OUT!

"The trouble lies in the organisational sphere. The Jewish people have no state of their own, there is no power of compulsion in Jewish life; everything is based on persuasion, on moral force, on the voluntary discipline of the individual." No; these regrets are not from some totalitarian tract bemoaning the characteristic "trouble" inseparable from freedom and democracy. They come from, of all things, an official Zionist propaganda publication. Poor, poor Zionism!

CHRONICLER

Bold Checks for Autumn Wear



THERE are many indications that a vogue for bright colourful materials will come to compensate us for the lack of trimming which austerity imposes. Braid, buttons, and even the rows of stitching are all severely rationed on the clothes now being offered for sale. And so it seems no more than sensible to make clothes of materials that are themselves so decorative as to make trimming unnecessary.

This autumn, for street wear, bright, colourful checks will most usefully express the mode of the moment. There are a great many possibilities where checks are concerned. Even the limited range of war-time colours now available actually furthers the vogue for gaiety, for they are mainly those bright crude colours which, suitably blended with the greys and blues and browns of the cloth, give a most cheerful effect.

Classic Colours

Naturally the classic autumn colours, brown, green, and a soft purple—colours all reminiscent of the heather now beginning to bloom—will predominate in this as in other years. But just because the process of manufacture has had to be severely simplified, and the colours woven in deeper shades, the effect will be even more colourful than those to which we were used in the past. Then we would amend matters by gay coloured accessories. A scarlet blouse, a scarf of magenta, a pair of gloves boasting brightly turned cuffs, each was a legitimate accompaniment in its own time of the pastel-shaded tweed suit that thus expressed for us so many moods.

To-day, we have to be more consistent. We have to be "gay and grim" not just for one day or for one occasion, but right on throughout the war period until victory is won.

Our clothes, then, can no longer serve us by expressing a passing mood, and we must accustom ourselves and our friends to beholding us over a long period attired in the selfsame garments. So long as the general effect of women's clothes to-day is that of helping in the great work of preserving that spirit of national cheerfulness which alone can sustain us, we should not stop to think, even, that "Mrs. B always wears green these days" or that "One knows Mrs. A by her red coat and skirt."

Strict Utility

The cut of the new autumn tweeds is, of course, equally influenced by the prevailing restrictions and by the limited leisure of those for whom the clothes are designed. Strict utility must make a first claim. Autumn coats like that you see in the picture, which is a Marlbeck model in bold checks, obviously fill the needs of a season when winds are getting chilly and intermittent periods of rain are the order of the day. The closely fitting coat is no longer popular because its whole design suggests something formal: it requires very careful fitting, and tends when carelessly worn or stored to lose its shape. In its place comes the loose wrap coat with its adaptable waistline, deep pockets, collar made to wear either up or down as the weather dictates, and its ability to support innumerable woollies underneath.

Yet the effect is smart and trim, and it can be worn equally comfortably over a frock to dance in or a severely businesslike outfit. It looks right with a hat, with a turban scarf, or with just no hat at all, and after all what more can any woman ask of an autumn coat in war-time?

Jewish Cookery

[These recipes are specially prepared for "The Jewish Chronicle" in co-operation with the Ministry of Food.]

TO SALT FRENCH AND RUNNER BEANS

THIS is a very simple way to preserve beans for winter use. Use glass or stoneware jars or a large crock. **Glazed earthenware is not suitable**, as the salt impairs the glaze.

Choose small young beans and be sure they are clean and dry. If very long break in halves, but do not slice them. Put a layer of salt in the bottom of the jar then one of beans, continue layers, allowing 1 lb. salt to every 3 lb. beans. Finish with a layer of salt, press down, and leave for a few days. When ready more beans may be added till the jar is full, always having a thick layer of salt on top. When the jar is full, cover with a lid or several thicknesses of paper.

If to be stored on a stone floor raise from the ground with a wooden board.

To use.—Rinse thoroughly several times in cold water or soak for a few minutes only. Long soaking toughens the beans. Prepare and cook like fresh beans, omitting salt from the water.

Apple Rings

MAKING apple rings is one of the simplest ways of ensuring a winter supply of pie or stewing fruit. No extra fuel is needed, because all superfluous oven heat and plate rack heat can be used for the drying. A warm airing cupboard can also be pressed into service.

Any apples may be used as long as they are not over-ripe. Wipe them, remove the cores with a round corer, and peel thinly. Remove blemishes and brown bruises. Cut into rings about ¼ inch thick and throw them into a bowl containing a light brine made with a dessertspoonful of salt to a quart of water. Leave for 5-10 minutes. As the object of this brining is to prevent the apples turning brown, it is better to core, peel, and slice one apple at a time.

Dry the apple slices well, then either thread them on slender sticks cut to fit across the runners in the oven or lay them on wire cake-cooling trays or oven grids covered with clean muslin. Have the rings ready to pop straight into the oven directly the heat is turned off, or place the sticks or trays securely over the top of the cooker, so that they get the benefit of all the rising heat.

If a temperature of about 120° F. can be maintained for 4 hours, that should be enough, but with intermittent heat up to 12 hours may be needed, and this may be spread over 2-3 days. It is **most** important to turn the rings that are laid on muslin to prevent dampness forming under them. When the fruit is leathery, but supple, like chamois leather, it is finished. Cool off for about 12 hours, turning to get absolutely dry, then store in paper bags or clean flour bags. Do not try to quicken the drying process by using a high temperature or you will only get brittle scorched rings that will be tasteless and disappointing.

Pears of dessert type gathered before they are quite ripe may be treated in the same way.

To Cook the Fruit

THE rings should be soaked overnight in cold water, then gently cooked, without sugar, in the water in which they were steeped.

Add sugar, syrup, honey, or whatever sweetening agent you choose just before the cooking is finished. **Never** pour boiling or very hot water on dried fruit thinking to hasten the softening. It makes the rings shrivel, and no amount of cooking will make them soft and fresh again.

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COMPANY MEETINGS

GREAT UNIVERSAL STORES

BENEFITS FROM EXPANSION POLICY

CONSIDERABLY LARGER TRADING PROFIT

The 24th ordinary general meeting of the Great Universal Stores, Ltd., was held on Wednesday, August 26, at Winchester House, London, E.C.

Sir Archibald Mitchelson, Bt., the Chairman, presided.

The Secretary (Mr. L. A. Renshell) read the notice convening the meeting, and Sir Alan Rae Smith, representing the Auditors, Messrs. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Co., read the certificate of his firm on the accounts.

The report and accounts were taken as read.

The following are the statements by the Chairman and the Managing Director (Mr. Isaac Wolfson) circulated with the report and accounts, and which were taken as read:

STATEMENT OF THE CHAIRMAN

Having regard to the numerous problems imposed by the exigencies of war, the year has proved a satisfactory one. Our businesses are widely distributed and operate throughout Great Britain, supplying many vital necessities. Our constant aim is to render the best service possible to our millions of customers, in price, quality, and variety of merchandise.

During the past year we have experienced the benefit of the developments which have taken place over a number of years under the present management of the Company. We believe, however, that the full results of this policy are yet to be realised when the war is over and we return to more normal conditions.

With a view to providing the most comprehensive information possible, we again present not only a consolidated balance-sheet but a combined profit and loss account. Judged by the record of past years, our normal dividend may be regarded as the equivalent of 12½ per cent, free of tax, on the present ordinary capital, and we are happy to recommend a final dividend which makes a total distribution for the year equivalent to 10 per cent, free of tax.

COMBINED ACCOUNTS

The combined trading profit for the year amounts to		£685,602
compared with £489,001 in the previous year.		
Deduct—Depreciation	£37,501	
War Damage Insurance ..	8,049	
Directors' fees	3,708	
		49,258
Balance		£636,344
Debenture interest, less tax ..	£28,764	
Taxation	395,214	
Preference dividends, less tax ..	30,591	
Ordinary dividends, etc., of subsidiary companies	486	
Debenture sinking fund	19,655	
Ordinary dividend (interim), less tax	25,000	
		499,710
Balance		£136,634
Add Carried forward from previous year		32,744
Balance available		£169,378

It is recommanded that—

(a) The sum of £22,000 be transferred to general reserve, which will then amount to £300,000.

(b) A final dividend of 7½ per cent free of tax amounting to £75,000 be paid, which will leave a balance of £72,378 to be carried forward against £32,744 brought in.

With regard to stocks, we are managing comparatively well, and our cash position is good at £519,702, including War Bonds. It will be noted that we have provided £395,214 for taxation, apart from purchase tax.

Our Managing Director, Mr. Isaac Wolfson, has been identified with this Company for a period of ten years, and under him, supported as he has been by very able colleagues, we can be fully gratified with the achievements. Our utmost appreciation is due to Mr. Wolfson and the assistant Managing Director, Mr. Charles Wolfson, for their most capable services.

PRICE CONTROL WELCOMED

We welcome the efforts of the Board of Trade to control prices, and their decision to give the public the highest possible quality at reasonable cost by the introduction of the Utility Scheme. With reference to the forthcoming introduction of Utility furniture, I would like to mention that in 1929 we were the pioneers of furniture of this class which was of a quality and value hitherto unobtainable, and in the last ten years we have manufactured and sold many thousands of such articles.

Nearly 4,000 employees have left to join various branches of the war-time services. The part which the remainder play is beyond all praise. They are co-operating in every possible way to maintain the structure of the business. The Board is considering the introduction of a pension scheme which should be very helpful to all our employees, and there has been set aside a sum of approximately £5,000 as a contribution. We express to those men and women formerly on our staff and now serving King and country our most sincere and affectionate wishes for their welfare. Some have made the supreme sacrifice, and to the relatives of these we tender our heartfelt sympathy in their grievous loss. To the others let me say that we look forward to the day when those now absent will return to us under the pleasant circumstances we previously knew.

Coming to the outlook for the present year, I can only say that up to now the Company has done satisfactorily, and I am hopeful that once again results will be pleasing to our shareholders, though naturally we are very much dependent on war-time conditions. Be that as it may, above all we trust that during the year we may achieve the greatest of all blessings, peace with a complete victory over our enemies.

STATEMENT OF MANAGING DIRECTOR

It is now some ten years since I became associated with the Great Universal Stores, Ltd., as your Managing Director, and at that time we had one mail order business. The Company has since then made steady progress through the acquisition of allied concerns and the commencement of others, which have been entirely built up by our own efforts. During the past difficult year the parent company, which has now been established for over 42 years, has reaped the benefits of its policy, and of the spreading of its interests all over the British Isles. Under more normal conditions our progress and development should be even more gratifying.

STAFF'S LOYAL CO-OPERATION

The results obtained are in no small measure due to the energy, enterprise, and the loyal co-operation of the entire staff. I would take this opportunity of recording my appreciation of the considerable assistance and support I have received from the senior executives of the organisation, who have relieved me of some of the many present responsibilities.

I am pleased to report that one of our subsidiaries is wholly engaged upon war production, and in addition we have handed over to His Majesty's Government a very large area of floor space, which has only been rendered possible by extreme concentration and the elimination of all non-essential operations.

I would like to take the opportunity of conveying my personal thanks to all our manufacturers and suppliers for their co-operation and support during the past difficult year. In conclusion, on behalf of myself and your Assistant Managing Director, Mr. Charles Wolfson, I thank our Chairman, our Directors of the parent company and subsidiary companies, our executives, and staff for their loyalty and never-failing support.

The Chairman: I have very much pleasure in moving the following resolution: "That the Directors' report and the statement of accounts for the year ended March 31, 1942, be, and the same are, hereby adopted, and that a final dividend of 7½ per cent, free of tax, making 10 per cent, free of tax, for the year on the ordinary share capital of £1,000,000 be, and the same is, hereby declared."

Mr. Isaac Wolfson, the Managing Director, seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

The election as new Directors of Mr. S. Blumberg, Mr. J. A. Sampson, and Mr. G. Scargill was confirmed, and the retiring Director, Mr. R. H. Griffith, was re-elected.

The Auditors, Messrs. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Co., were re-appointed, and a hearty vote of thanks to the Chairman, Directors, and staff closed the meeting.

PROVINCIAL CINEMATOGRAPH THEATRES

SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENT IN BUSINESS

RECORD PROFIT

MR. J. ARTHUR RANK'S REVIEW

The 32nd annual general meeting of Provincial Cinematograph Theatres, Ltd., was held on August 20 in London.

Mr. J. Arthur Rank, D.L., J.P., the Chairman, presided.

The following is the statement by the Chairman, which was circulated with the report and accounts and taken as read:

The balance-sheet presented to you on this occasion has been drawn up in form somewhat different to that used in past years, and it is proposed that this new form of balance-sheet, which conforms more closely to recognised modern practice, and in which the figures are expressed to the nearest £, be adopted for the future. The Company's profit for the year under review has increased by the substantial margin of £214,460, and, at £656,238, has reached a total which constitutes a record in the history of the Company.

The authorised and issued share capital of the Company remains unchanged, and first mortgage debenture stock outstanding has varied only to the extent of the nominal amount of stock redeemed and cancelled during the year by the normal operation of the sinking fund. Loans on mortgage remain unaltered at £930,300, plus interest accrued but unpaid at the date of the accounts. Mortgages held by a subsidiary finance company, amounting to £570,000, have been separated from this total, and are now grouped under the more appropriate heading of subsidiary companies on the other side of the balance-sheet, where they will continue to be shown so long as they exist.

Trade and sundry creditors at £811,794 are substantially higher than last year, the increase being due principally to the addition of new or larger reserves for income tax, excess profits tax, deferred repairs, and war damage contributions. Dividends accrued in respect of preference and preferred ordinary shares are the same as last year, except that on this occasion they are stated at the net amount after deduction of income tax.

A NEW RESERVE

The next item is a new reserve created for the proposed dividend of 15 per cent (less income tax) on ordinary shares in respect of the year under review and payable forthwith after confirmation at the general meeting. In regard to reserves there is a normal increase of £17,527 in the debenture stock sinking fund reserve, whereas general reserve at £675,000 remains unchanged.

On the other side of the balance-sheet, the book values of our freehold and leasehold properties, including their contents, are stated separately. In the aggregate there is little change from the corresponding total last year, an indication that no new or additional theatres have been acquired and none disposed of. Reserve for depreciation and amortisation of properties at £1,443,181 is higher this year by £101,000, and has been brought over from the other side of our balance-sheet to be deducted from the book values of the properties to which it relates.

The Company's financial interest in its subsidiary companies is now grouped under its appropriate heading on the assets side of the balance-sheet. The net amount of this interest, at £1,351,074, represents an increase of approximately £135,000, principally in the amounts due from subsidiary companies on loan and current accounts, and accounted for by the proportion of the Company's liability to excess profits tax charged to the subsidiary companies responsible for it.

IMPROVED FINANCIAL POSITION

Shares in and amounts due from associated companies at £165,260 do not differ materially from the corresponding figure for last year, and the nature of the remaining assets may be regarded as normal. Sinking fund policies have increased in value during the year to the extent of £13,210. Stocks and stores show little variation in value, whereas debtors and payments in advance show a moderate increase of some £26,000. British Government securities and cash at bank give a combined total of £315,514, which compares with a bank overdraft of £65,292 last year. The improvement of £380,806 in our cash position emphasises the substantial improvement in business which has taken place during the year under review.

In regard to our profit and loss account, trading profit, income from investments, and the small amount of transfer fees received bring the total up to £656,238 after charging all interest payable. To this total is added the balance from last year, making an available surplus of £771,296. The amount of profit appropriated for necessary purposes is substantially greater this year.

Deferred repairs, a new reserve for repairs of a general nature, not including repairs made necessary by or resulting from war damage, has required £20,000. The restricted supply of labour and material for theatre repairs and maintenance has prevented the Company from carrying out in full its pre-war policy of theatre upkeep, and it is therefore considered prudent to set aside out of profits the estimated cost of general repair work which would have been carried out under normal conditions, but which must of necessity be postponed.

APPROPRIATION OF PROFITS

The appropriation of profits to reserve for depreciation and amortisation has been maintained at £101,000. Adequate provision has been made for the Company's liability to taxation, the amount set aside—£174,639—being higher this year by £112,568. Debenture stock sinking fund reserve has been increased by £17,527, and the Company's contributions and premiums under the War Damage Act have required £58,738.

The foregoing appropriations of profit have absorbed £371,904 of the available surplus, and the fixed dividends on preference and preferred ordinary shares for a full year have absorbed a further sum of £202,500. An additional reserve has been created in respect of the proposed dividend of 15 per cent on the ordinary shares for the year under review, which accounts for a further £75,000, and brings the total appropriations and distributions of profit (including directors' fees) up to £654,639, leaving a balance of £116,657 to carry forward, against a sum of £115,058 brought in.

Damage sustained by the theatres of the Company and its subsidiary companies during the year as a result of enemy action is relatively unimportant, although the staffs at a number of places have had very trying experiences.

LOYAL CO-OPERATION OF THE STAFFS

The Directors would like to express their high appreciation of the conduct of the personnel in these conditions, and of the general keenness and loyal co-operation of the staffs generally, which have made possible the efficient management of the Company. Thanks largely to the assistance of the staffs both at head office and at the theatres, the Company has been able to maintain its policy of providing entertainment of the highest class in its theatres and in those of its subsidiary companies. The best films are booked, including the high-grade British films produced in the studios of the parent company, Gaumont-British Picture Corporation, Ltd.

Since the date of the accounts Entertainment Tax has been increased to a basis almost double that in force up to May last, and as a result prices of admission to all cinema theatres have had to be increased. The end of the first half of the current year has now been reached, and profits for this period have been more than maintained.

The report and accounts were unanimously adopted.

The retiring Directors, Mr. J. Arthur Rank, Mr. C. M. Woolf, Mr. S. J. Gordon, Mr. G. I. Woodham Smith, and Mr. Allan E. Messer, C.B.E., were re-elected, and the Auditors, Messrs. Hubbart, Durose, and Pain, having been reappointed, the meeting terminated with a cordial vote of thanks to the Chairman, Directors, and staff.

Investments and Securities

Markets are still unable completely to set aside the general desire to refrain from active trading during August. There was a flurry of activity following news of the Moscow Conference.

The raid on Dieppe brought a check to the buying movement but holders of securities adhere to a policy of refraining from selling. Values therefore are well held in all sections.

Company reports continue favourable. Prospective buyers watch for opportunities to pick up stock cheaply. Very little stock comes on offer so for the moment conditions are subdued but with an undertone of confidence.

BATS DIVIDEND

A third interim ordinary dividend for the year ending on September 30 is announced on British American Tobacco ordinary capital. This is 10d. per £1 unit free of tax, making, with the two previous interims, 1s. 8d. tax free so far this year.

In the previous year four interims totalling 2s. 8d. per unit tax free were paid. The dividend was subsequently made up to 2s. 11d. net last year by a final of 3d. per unit.

It is considered most doubtful whether total dividend this year, including the final, will exceed 2s. net per unit. The general view is that the dividend will be made up to 1s. 11d. tax free for the twelve months. It must be recognised that the company trades overseas and has temporary lost valuable markets in the East. Next year only two dividends, an interim and a final, will be paid. The units are now standing around £4 each.

RECORD CINEMA PROFITS

Provincial Cinematograph Theatres enjoyed record profits during the year to January 31, 1942. It was the first year for the company under the Chairmanship of Mr. J. Arthur Rank.

The Chairman would be the first to admit that general business conditions contributed largely to the year's success. The country was reasonably free from enemy air attacks during the twelve months while another and most important factor has been the very substantial increase in public spending capacity.

The Directors must, however, be given their full share of credit for taking advantage of prevailing conditions. The profit figure increased by no less than £214,460 to £656,238, but tax and E.P.T. took £174,639 and War Damage Contributions another £58,738. Ordinary dividend was kept at 15 per cent., against 22½ per cent. just prior to the war.

SECRET OF SUCCESS

A statement made to stockholders in Great Universal Stores, Ltd., by their Chairman, Sir Archibald Mitchelson, goes a very long way in explaining the constant success of the business. He said: "Our constant aim is to render the best service possible to our millions of customers, in price, quality, and variety of merchandise."

That is the secret of success. Good results were produced for the year to March 31 last. The Directors, however, believe that the best results will be realised when normal conditions return.

Profit figures have already been submitted. A 12½ per cent. tax free dividend is regarded as a normal one. The directors are happy to recommend a final dividend for last year which makes the total distribution equal to 10 per cent. tax free.

CITY EDITOR.

Company Meeting

STANDARD BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA

SATISFACTORY RESULTS

The 129th ordinary general meeting of the Standard Bank of South Africa, Ltd., was held on August 26 in London.

Mr. Stanley Christopherson, the Chairman, presided.

The following extracts from his statement are:

Deposits, current, and other accounts showed a further increase of approximately £17½ million. This was again mainly due to the large funds available as the result of expenditure by the Union Government for war purposes.

Cash in hand and at call and short notice was higher by about £3½ million, and investments increased by nearly £15 million as the result of purchases of Government stocks. Bills discounted, advances to customers, and other accounts declined by about £3 million, which might be expected in view of the prevailing conditions.

After making an appropriation to contingencies account there was a balance of profit of £560,740, as against £561,837 in the previous year. Including the amount of £144,769 brought forward there remained for disposal the sum of £705,509. The interim dividend paid in January last absorbed £125,000, and after allocating £50,000 for bank premises there is a balance of £530,509.

It is recommended that £150,000 be allocated to the Officers' Pension Fund, that a final dividend of 7s. per share be paid, together with a bonus of 2s. per share, making a total of 14 per cent for the year, and that £155,509 be carried forward.

During the year under review, business conditions remained fairly stable in South Africa, although the progressive enlargement of the country's war effort tended to restrict normal trade activities. Expansion has naturally been pronounced in those industries employed on war contracts and with the acceleration of production brought about by the entry of Japan into the conflict in December last, expenditure on national defence has continued to grow. The increased amount of money thus made available has resulted in a larger demand for goods generally, a factor which has benefited the commercial and agricultural community.

The growing volume of money available has, in some measure, been tapped by the Government through increased taxation and public loans, and special avenues for the attraction of public savings have been created with the object of building up a strong position to avoid inflation.

The decline in the volume of imported goods owing to shipping difficulties has given rise to a greater demand for locally manufactured articles, thus providing an impetus to secondary industries. Present world conditions have also spurred on the quest for new markets in neighbouring African territories, and the contacts now being made are of value and will, we hope, continue so when peace returns.

The Union Minister of Finance was able to disclose an estimated surplus of over £6,000,000 for the financial year ended March 31 last. Nevertheless, a warning was given by him that the present state of prosperity is illusory.

UNION'S SOUND FINANCES

The sound state of the Union's finances is due in large measure to the achievement of the gold-mining industry in maintaining production, despite the absence of large numbers of men on active service and the assistance the mines have rendered in the production of munitions. The industry has been of immeasurable value to the Government in their efforts to maintain a stable economy during the war period.

The special demands of the war have drawn increased attention to the Union's valuable base mineral resources. It has been recognised that many deposits are capable of more profitable exploitation than has been evident in the past, and legislation has been approved which will stabilise conditions in this industry and encourage full economic development of mineral resources.

Farming conditions during the year were difficult but, on the whole, satisfactory. Replacements and additions to implements and machinery were hard to obtain, climatic conditions were unfavourable, and exports were affected by increased shipping uncertainties; on the other hand, farm products were in very keen general demand.

Trading difficulties in the present year are likely to be more severe than those in the twelve months under review.

We can be proud of the contribution our staff is making to the war effort. Whilst casualties have, fortunately, not been heavy, we record with deep regret the loss of a number of our young men.

The report was adopted.

Entertainments

CINEMA

TALE OF THE SPITFIRE

The First Of The Few (Leicester Square, "U" cert.) is a superlatively good film. Skilfully directed and brilliantly acted, it has a superb story that is generously based on fact, and yields grand opportunities for tense drama, excitement, and delightful humour. Above all, the film has inspiration. Minor flaws there undoubtedly are, but they are insignificant. R. J. Mitchell (Leslie Howard), the aircraft designer whose genius gave us the Spitfire, is the hero, and the picture tells of his early disappointments in the face of conservative prejudice, his successes in the Schneider Trophy races, his awakening while on a holiday in Germany to the Nazi menace, and his determination despite official indifference to build a fighter 'plane that would adequately defend these shores. Geoffrey Crisp (David Niven), a test-pilot in the last war and close associate of Mitchell, tells the story to a group of young fighter-pilots between "scrambles" in the Battle of Britain. The opening scenes of Spitfires roaring into action are familiar enough, but Crisp's story lends to the closing scenes of pilots shooting up Nazi planes a thrilling significance. Leslie Howard gives to Mitchell a gentle charm and aloofness which do not conceal his iron will to complete his task even at the cost of his life. David Niven, as Crisp, the daredevil test-pilot and flippant philanderer, gives a performance that is a sheer delight. The supporting cast are all first rate.

WILL HAY COMEDY

The Goose Steps Out (Odeon, to-day, "U" cert.) is hearty comedy with a liberal admixture of slapstick. The heartiness is rather forced, but Will Hay is provided with many opportunities for that brand of fooling that is essentially his own. In this picture he happens to be the double of a notorious Nazi agent, so is sent to Germany to impersonate him, the object being to steal Hitler's secret weapon, a new gas-fire bomb. So naturally he has extraordinary adventures. The producers obviously had the younger generation in mind when they made this film, and unquestionably the youngsters will hail it with delight.

SHIRLEY IS ADOLESCENT

Miss Annie Rooney (Pavilion, Sunday, "U" cert.) is eloquent evidence of the trials and tribulations that beset a veteran star who tries to stage a come-back from retirement. Shirley Temple, now approaching adolescence, has the part of a very modern precocious miss whose set talks alternately in pseudo-highbrow clichés and the last thing in slang. She lives with her father (William Gargan), an insurance-salesman with crack-brained, get-rich-quick schemes, and her grandfather (Guy Kibbee), a retired policeman. She meets a rich boy (Dickie Moore), and they suffer the painful pangs of childish romance. Shirley is too grand a trooper not to give the last ounce to a part, but the producers have done her a grave disservice by providing such a story. But she will doubtless live down this film, in which Guy Kibbee is the only character who seems at all real.

THE OLD WILD WEST

In Old California (Gaumont, Sunday, "U" cert.) is yet another tale of the Wild West in the bad old days, with the hero (John Wayne) as a chivalrous, mild-mannered giant who didn't want to fight but by jingo when he did, and the villain (Albert Dekker) a pattern of cold-blooded scoundrelism. The heroine (Binnie Barnes) is a saloon-singer, beneath whose hard and glittering exterior beats a heart of gold. Wayne, a pharmacist, tries to open up in Sacramento, but finds trouble because the villain is the town boss. Binnie helps him. A typhoid epidemic breaks out in the gold diggings, and Wayne organises a wagon convoy to take medical supplies. The villain tries a hold-up and there is plenty of fighting and shooting, although the film is not very fast-moving and is rather confused. M.E.

GENERAL FILM RELEASES

Next week's general releases include **The Lady Is Willing,** with Marlene Dietrich and Fred MacMurray, and **Alibi,** with Margaret Lockwood, at the Mile End Empire, Golders Green Lido, and Stoke Newington Savoy; and **Holiday Inn,** with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire, and **The Lady From Lisbon,** with Francis L. Sullivan, at the Golders Green Regal and Hendon and Swiss Cottage Odeons ("Holiday Inn" is also at the Stamford Hill Super).

RADIO

On Sunday, in the Home Service, listeners will hear the Southport Municipal Orchestra conducted by Louis Cohen from the Cambridge Hall, Southport.

A group of piano duets by Rawicz and Landauer will be one of the attractions presented to the Forces on Sunday, when the B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra visits a Southern town.

Three broadcasts by Albert Sandler next week head the list of popular programmes by orchestral ensembles: to-day, with his Trio, for the Forces; and on Monday, with his Trio, on both wave-lengths, and with the London Gypsy Orchestra for the Forces.

MATZA ON POINTS

In the Ministry of Food announcements concerning the rationing of biscuits, in which term are included crisp breads, rusks, &c., it is stated that matza is also included. No statement has yet been issued on the effects of such a rationing rule at Passover.

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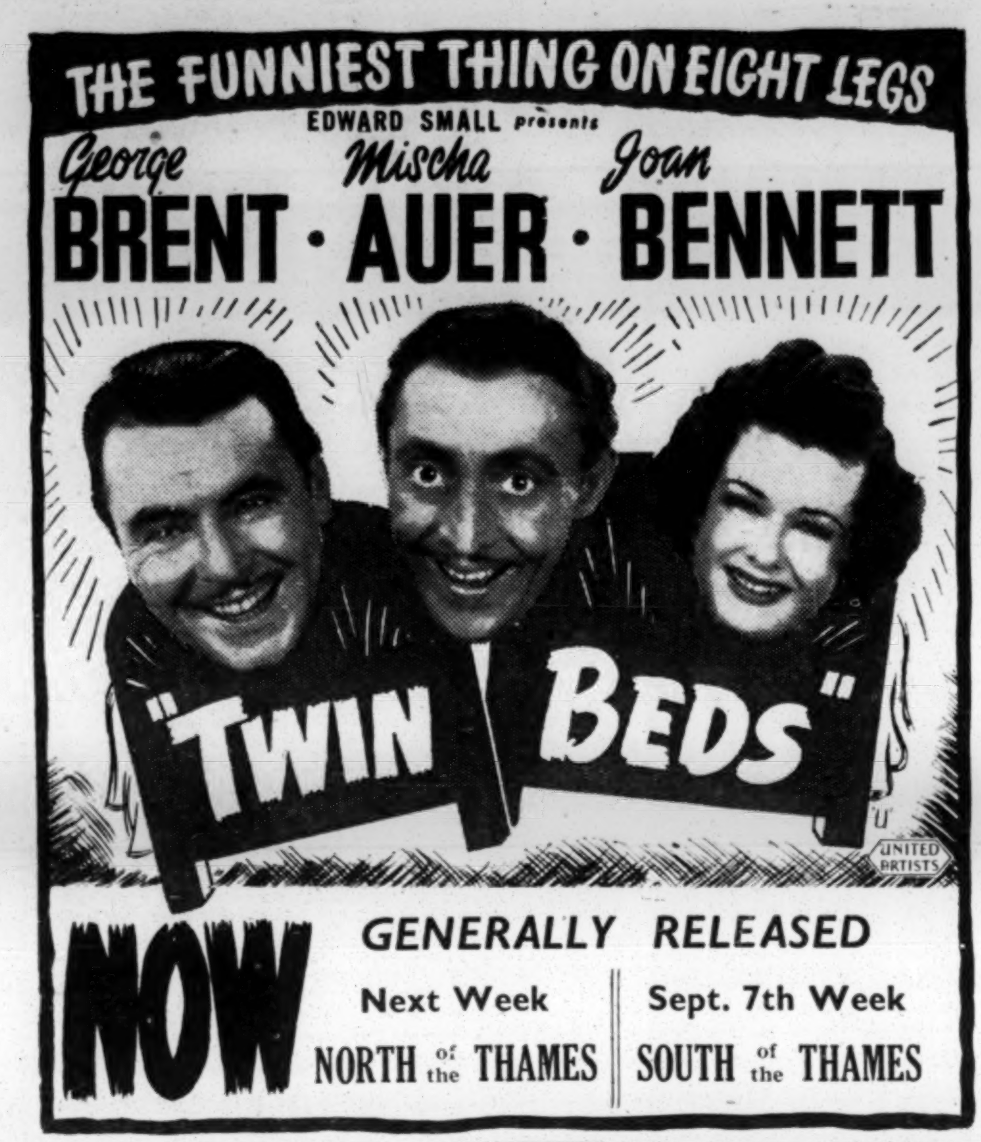
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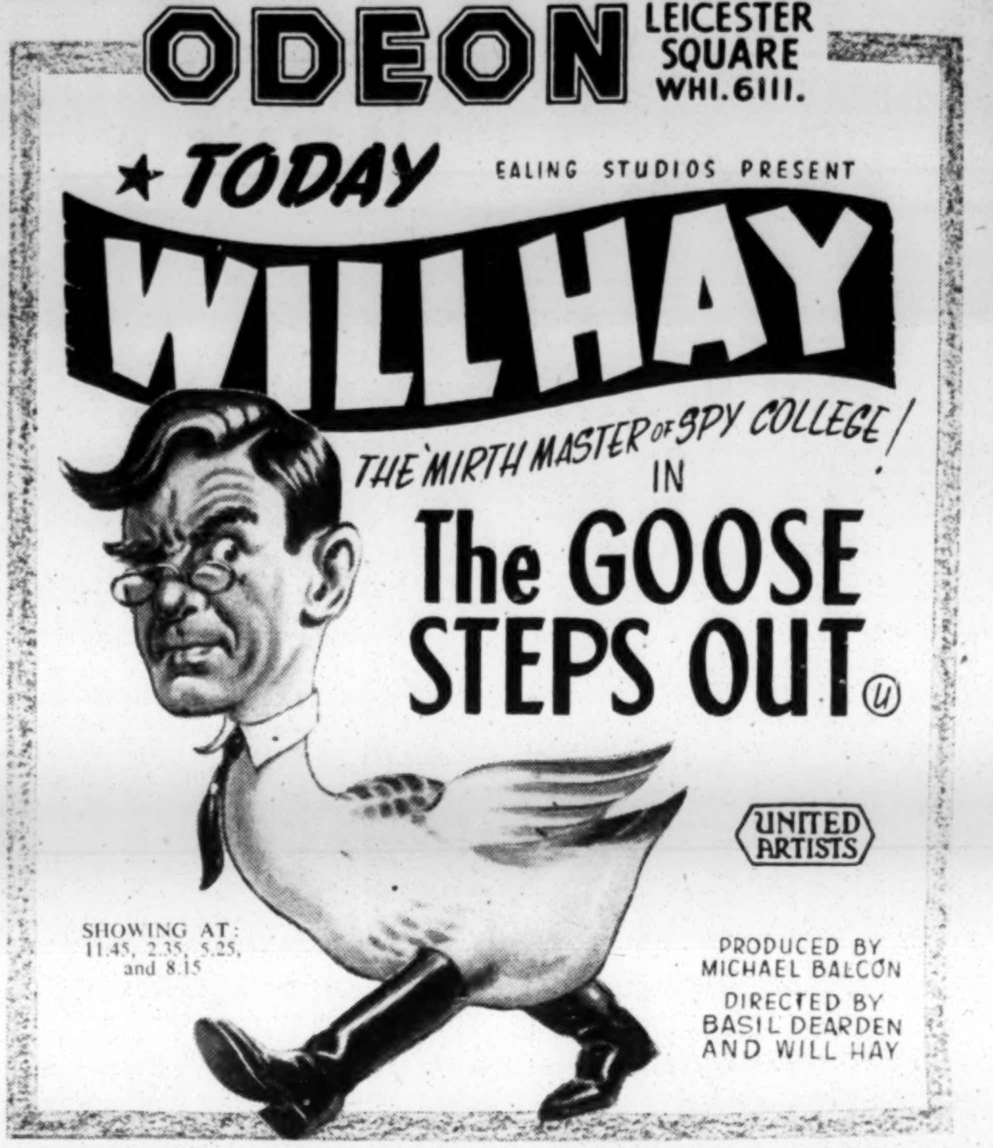
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PALLADIUM (Ger. 7373) Daily at 5.15 and 7.45 Com. Aug. 31. Daily at 3 & 5.45, **"GANGWAY."** With Vera Lynn, Ben Lyon, and Teddy Brown.

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DOMINION, Tottenham Court Rd, Com. Aug. 30. Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, **"Pardon My Sarong"**(U). **"Tragedy At Midnight"**(A). News.

EMPIRE, Leicester Square 10 a.m. to 9.40 p.m. MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN in **"TARZAN'S NEW YORK ADVENTURE"**(U)

EMPIRE, Mile End Road Aug. 31, 6 days. **"The Lady Is Willing"**(A), Marlene Dietrich, Fred MacMurray. **"Alibi"**(A), Margaret Lockwood.

GAUMONT, Haymarket Com. August 30. JOHN WAYNE with Binnie Barnes **"IN OLD CALIFORNIA"**(U)

GOLDERS GREEN REGAL August 31, 6 days, **"Holiday Inn"**(U), Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. **"The Lady From Lisbon"**(U), Francis Sullivan.

LIDO, Golders Green August 31, 7 days. **"The Lady Is Willing"**(A), Marlene Dietrich, Fred MacMurray. 6 days, **"Alibi"**(A), Margaret Lockwood

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ODEON, Hendon August 31. Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire, **"HOLIDAY INN"**(U). Francis L. Sullivan, **"THE LADY FROM LISBON"**(U)

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SAVOY, Stoke Newington August 31, 6 days, **"Alibi"**(A), Margaret Lockwood, Hugh Sinclair. **"The Lady Is Willing"**(A), Marlene Dietrich.

STAMFORD HILL REGENT Aug. 31, 6 days, **"Twin Beds"**(U), George Brent, Mischa Auer. **"Women In War"**(A), Wendy Barrie, P. Knowles.

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